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17 Freckle Kidlets To Be at News-Strand Theater Party

FRECKLED kiddies expressed themselves today as tickled to pieces.

The delay in awards in order to announce three capital prizes for those who produce the most freckles has made a hit.

The hit comes in through the additional prize money and the announcement by the Holton theater's management that the Strand theater will be thrown open free of charge next Wednesday evening to every boy and girl under 15 years in Port Arthur, whether they are in the contest or not.

All they have to do is to show their freckles at the door. Of course moles and "liver spots" don't count.

"I'll tell a fat lady," says Joe Lassiter, 13, when asked if he liked the new plan.

The famous Miller freckled quartette, comprising Willard, 8, Prince, 13, Harry, 9, and Mary, 11, by sheer force of numbers is determined to bring home the bacon to some of the four. They are to date the champion freckle family of Port Arthur. Willard admitted today that his father, too, had freckles. Mary, who burned her hand yesterday with a hot iron, says that isn't going to keep her out of the race.

Wade Youngblood, 8, is holding his face up to the sun to gain freckle reinforcements. Wade has a combined space on his face of about half an inch by half an inch that hasn't any freckles.

The Holton theater's management says that there is going to be a nifty program for the freckled kidlets before and after the awards are made by the three judges on the stage during the 8 o'clock intermission.

The prizes as announced by the Freckle Editor yesterday are increased to $10 in gold for first prize; $5 in gold for second and three shiny silver dollars for third.

The eighteen members of the Freckles Club of Port Arthur have a monopoly on the Southern Texas crop for the current season and if their freckles were pooled and placed end for end the string would be long enough to make a jumping rope for every little girl in Port Arthur, or would reach five miles and 72 feet.

Thirten members of the club are boys and the other five girls and characteristic of their sex, the women are going to fight "fer their rights." Here they are:

Edward Carey, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carey, 211 Fifth St.; Ernest Brooks, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brooks, R. F. D. 1; Joe Lasiter, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lasiter, 2336 Eleventh St.; Alberta McDonald, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDonald, 1125 Eleventh St.; Charles Bradley, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bradley, 1120 Fifth St.; Allen Babin, 12, son of Mr. and and Mrs. A. F. Babin, 528 Tenth St.; Mary Miller, 11, Willard Miller, 8, Prince Miller, 13, Harvey Miller, 9, daughter and sons of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Miller, 1009 1-2 Fifteenth St.; Joe DeFoy, 12, son of Mrs. Odelia DeFoy of 811 Tenth St.; Victor Carruth, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carruth of 3325 Seventh St.; Wade Youngblood, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Youngblood of 1130 Ninth St.; Vivian Roark, 12, of 1319 Sixth St.; Jack Cullum, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cullum of 447 West Sixteenth St.; Marguerite Marchbanks, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Marchbanks, 924 Stilwell; Wilbur Weeren, 11.

FRENCH MONEY CRASHES AS BRITISH SPLIT NEARS

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious and Otherwise By "S. S."

INFAMOUS FIRMS—Brandy and Soda.

They're off—111th engineers—left at 2 p. m.

Early bathers dipped in Lake Sabine this a. m.

Guardsmen off today for Camp Mabry, San Antonio.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 15; at Beaumont, 6.

Phone Boss Waltrip recovered a pencil "borrowed" several days ago.

Young Port Arthurians cooled off in the waters of the city slip this a. m.

"Surest signs of the times I've found are clocks," Albert Perkins opines.

Boys in the water office aver they got the bills out today by working overtime.

Mayor Pink Logan and Commissioner Wiley in Nawth End attending court.

Deputy Sheriff John Foote kept busy night and day serving legal papers, he says.

Fred Laurentz, private secretary to Mayor Pink Logan, is ticklish in the ribs, he admits.

Judge A. W. Dycus got more weight and some sun burn while motoring through west Texas, he tells here today.

Clyde Bates spent last evening in the Nawth End bidding adieu to close companions bound for the summer encampment at Camp Mabry.

George Weddell reported drawing up his articles of resignation from the Summer Bachelors' Club, to be presented within the next 10 days or two weeks.

Little Miss Dodd, weight eight pounds, arrived July 30 in Mary Gates hospital to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Dodd, 2226 Seventh street.

All the flowers sighted on city officials desks are not confined to the office of E. H. Miles, city clerk. A bouquet was discovered on the desk of Chief of Police W. W. Covington today.

Those who haven't yet gotten their vacation time and trips arranged have something to look forward to. Officer J. L. Fox, who went back to work with the police force today after a trip to Austin, declares.

TODAY'S HEROES: Murff Bledsoe Jr., and Arthur LeCoq. They shook hands with General Pershing, traveled with him on the same train from Beaumont to San Antonio Friday night, and received a personal word of congrats from "Black Jack" as they entered a citizens' military training camp.

"When the wind's blowing 10 miles an hour in Port Arthur, it's blowing 20 down at the jetties," George Craig, Sr., drops as a hint to fishermen planning a trip to the fishing grounds, and adds by way of advice that they look to see how the wind speedometer on top of the federal building is spinning before they tackle salt water fishing.

PARTLY CLOUDY

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Friday partly cloudy.

FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight and Friday partly cloudy, somewhat unsettled in north portion; cooler in north-central portion tonight.

FOR LOUISIANA: Tonight and Friday partly cloudy; probably showers in southeast portion.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Light to fresh southerly.

Maximum temperature, 91; minimum temperature, 79; precipitation, 0.00.

Year ago today: Maximum temperature, 93; minimum temperature, 79.

Sunset this evening, 7:09 p. m.

Sunrise tomorrow, 5:36 a. m.

TIDE RECORD.

Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Friday, August 3; taken from tables prepared by the U. S. geodetic survey:

High tides 8:16 a. m. 8:38 p. m.
Low tides 1:47 a. m. 2:29 p. m.

LLOYD GEORGE TO VISIT U.S. MAIN ST

Tour to Acquaint Him With U. S. Political System

TO MAKE SPEECHES

British Ex-Premier to Thank Canada for War Services

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LONDON, August 2.—David Lloyd George will sail for New York late in September on a tour which will take him into many of the cities of the United States and Canada.

His purpose, as he expressed it in making his plans know to the United Press, is to thank Canada for its "magnificent services" to the empire during the war and to become personally acquainted with the United States—its cities, its people and its political system.

Britain's wartime premier—outstanding figure in Europe during the world conflict—will make a number of speeches during the trip and will visit America's national shrines. His first address will be delivered in Montreal, where he will go immediately after his arrival in New York.

To Get Close to People.

He will travel by motor as well as train, as he wants to get close to the people in the cities and towns through which he passes and, to use his own words, he desires to visit several of the smaller "Main street" communities.

Lloyd George was busy today sifting thousands of invitations from practically every state in the United States and the provinces of Canada and arranging his itinerary.

This itinerary is tentative as follows—subject to extension or curtailment depending on the time at his disposal, which is still uncertain:

He will start for New York late in September and will leave New York for Montreal the night of the day of his arrival.

In Montreal, the first speech of his tour will be made. Thence Lloyd

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MANAGER HOTEL BEAUMONT HELD

Arrests in Booze Raid Total Eight

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Aug. 2.—Eight employes of Hotel Beaumont, including the manager, two department heads and five bell boys, were hailed before United States Commissioner Joseph B. Morris in federal court this morning charged with conspiring to violate the national prohibition act.

A warrant awaits service on the assistant manager when he returns today or tomorrow from Houston, according to federal authorities.

Seeking Bootleggers.

The arrests follow a raid staged by "strange" prohibition agents in the hotel yesterday morning, resulting in the confiscation of a quantity of bonded whisky estimated by agents as more than 200 quarts.

Those gathered in the net are:

Victor G. Bidenharn, hotel manager, George Gant, head porter; William Willenberg, bell captain, and five bell boys, all said to be minors.

Agents issued a warrant for the arrest of Robert M. Cronkrite, assistant manager.

Prohibition officers said this morning they were seeking the bootlegger who has been supplying the hotel with wet goods. They say they know who he is and are now in possession of sufficient evidence to arrest him.

Bonds Range Up to $1000.

Hearings this morning were brief. Bidenharn, Gant and Willenberg were placed under bonds of $1000 each. Four bell boys $200 each and one $00. All will be brought before the federal grand jury during its session November 12.

Arresting officers declare they have "sales" against several of the bell boys; these, they say, were gained Tuesday night after they had registered at the hotel as guests and had asked the bell boys "if there was anything to buy around the place."

The Guy Who Doped This Yarn's Nutty

Electric fans, if all in Port Arthur were pooled, would be able to generate enough wind to pull Henry Ford from Nederland to Orange in his race for the democratic nomination or strong enought to sweep the seas clear of shipping.

It was today estimated that there are 5,000 electric fans in Port Arthur and that their average diameter is eight inches. For the sake of argument an eight-inch fan will generate approximately half the wind velocity of a 16-inch fan or roughly 10 miles an hour.

Pooling the velocities of Port Arthur's fans a wind velocity of 50,000 miles an hour should be generated. Allowing the fans to be turned on for a single day a total wind passage of 1,200,000 miles would have been created, or better still 663,600,000 feet of air would have passed. At the same rate more than 40 laps of air stretching clear around the world would have passed a given point before the last atoms were getting under way.

And if the measurement were changed into inches——

Hey, call the doc, the guy's fainted.

VILLA'S DEATH TO AID RECOGNITION

Consul Trevino Expresses Opinion on Possibility

The assassination of Pancho Villa is of trivial political significance in the belief of S. J. Trevino, Mexican consul in Port Arthur.

Because of the more or less retired life Villa had been leading for a time up to his death, his influence in the Mexican political pot was counted somewhat of a nonenity and it mattered but little to the present administration in power in Mexico's politics, the consul says.

The death of the picturesque bandit leader, however, might have no small effect on the proceedings set in motion by the Mexican embassy at Washington to bring about the recognition of the Mexican government by the United States.

Whether America will view the death of Villa as the removal of one who might have made trouble and the recognition activities hastened on this account is not generally known, but in the opinion of Consul Trevino this view of the slaying may be taken, he said.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 2.—General Francisco Villa was assassinated as the result of a political plot, according to a report of a commission of the chamber of deputies sent to Parel to investigate the incident.

The commission does not name the parties responsible.

Rotary Hears of South Park's Junior College

Music and two discussions featured the noon day program of the Port Arthur Rotary club today.

Harry Banker, who just returned from a month spent in middle west and western states, told of general business conditions, and L. C. Pietsch, superintendent of the South Park Independent school district, told Rotary members something of the new Junior college which is being established there.

Tom Wilhelm of The News staff sang three solos, accompanied on the piano by Eugene McGuire, another News staff member.

French Force U. S. Tourists To Dine With Jazz Negroes

Paris' Lax Color Line May Strain U. S.-French Relations Following Incidents In Cafe

PARIS, August 2.—The French press today expressed general approval of the foreign office statement threatening reprisals against American tourists who express themselves against negroes and object to the close association occasioned by the lack of color line here.

La Liberte relates how recently an American in a Boulevard cafe objected to the presence of a negro. The latter, an engineer from Martinique, threw the American out of the cafe so violently that the latter struck his head against a lamp-post and had to be treated at a drug store.

"Everybody will agree the lesson was merited," says La Liberte.

Paris police received instructions today to prevent Americans from making any demonstration against negroes in public places.

This was the latest development in the color war in which the French government yesterday came forward to the defense of negroes slighted by tourists from the United States. The custom of Americans declining to eat at the same table with the blacks is deplored by the French press and the foreign office has threatened reprisals.

If there are more complaints against Americans on this score reported, the matter is to be laid before Ambassador Herrick by French and the Americans alike.

Probe Activities of Jazz Blacks

Meanwhile some American residents of Paris, have seen fit to come to the defense of their countrymen who object to being forced to close association with negroes. It is pointed out that most of the trouble between Americans and the negro populace does not concern French colonuals, but blacks from the southern states who came here to find equality with the whites.

The police have been urged to investigate activities of a number of these negroes who came here ostensibly as jazz band players and actually are alleged to be engaged in trafficking in cocaine with white girls on the streets earning money for them.

PENMAN'S DEATH TO GRAND JURY

Mystery Murder Is Probed by 60th Court Body

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Aug. 2.—Judge Thomas F. Brown, justice of the peace under whose direction investigation into the murder of Dr. C. A. Penman is being conducted, placed the case before the 60th district grand jury here today.

The session was secret, and the exact steps which the grand jury will take in probing the case are necessarily not known.

CONDUCTOR KILLED, 2 SHOT IN DANCE ROW

MEMPHIS, Tenn., August 2.—A. M. Mitchell, Illinois Central railroad conductor, was shot to death and John Kirtland, 48, and Charles Auferoth, 34, proprietors of a dance hall, were wounded in a gun battle at Lake View, Miss., today.

Rain Hits Pavement at Parsons, Kas. 107 Degree Heat Turns It Into Steam

PARSONS, Kan., Aug. 2.—Parsons received a steam bath when a shower fell with he mercury standing at 107. The sun beat down hotly during the shower. Not a drop was noticeable once it hit the pavement.

NURSERY BABES NEEDING MILK

Plea Made to Public to Safeguard Little Tots

For the want of funds to purchase supplies of milk, a dangerous situation threatens the children in the Port Arthur Day Nursery.

Some of the children are frail, demanding large quantities of milk during the hot summer months, and one boy is able to take nothing but milk, officials declare, urging immediate response to the appeal for milk funds.

An income of $45 monthly is necessary to keep the nursery in supplies of milk, and the donations made through the milk bottles placed on the counters in many of the business houses are falling way short of meeting the milk bills, according to nursery officials.

Definite action to insure the 10 quarts of milk needed for the daily demands at the Day Nursery is underway in the Federated Missionary society, who are joining with the Day Nursery officials in efforts to increase the income for the milk fund.

Besides the special cases of the boy living on milk only, there are two bottle babies in the institution, six boys and a girl under five years of age, who depend largely upon milk for their nourishment, and of the total 18 children in the nursery, 11 are cared for and fed there during the night, officials said.

Logan at Hearing on Airdome Injunction

Immediately upon his return to Port Arthur, Mayor Pink Logan began his duties again as the chief executive of the city, but was absent from commission this morning due to being called in Beaumont to appear in the injunction suit brought by local citizens against Ferguson Brothers to prevent the erection of an airdome on Lakeshore drive.

The injunction suit is the third to be filed against Ferguson Brothers, who came here several weeks ago, first starting a structure on Procter street.

The restrainer made permanent, Ferguson Brothers moved over to Lakeshore drive and began the construction of an airdome.

The building was partly completed for the formal opening during the latter part of July when the third injunction suit was brought.

WHILE NORTH SWELTERS BREEZE KEEPS US COOL

Port Arthurians enjoyed a cooling summer breeze today while reports from other sections of the United States announced temperatures ranging from 103 to 112 and above.

Several residents who have claimed Port Arthur as their home for but a few weeks expressed astonishment on the streets during the day at finding "the Gulf coast so cool a place."

HARDING SLEEPS WELL; IS BETTER

President's Wife Refuses to Leave Bedside

DOCTORS SATISFIED

Cabinet Officials Loosen Anxious Tension

WITH PRESIDENT HARDING'S PARTY, PALACE HOTEL, SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 2.—President Harding spent a restful night and awoke this morning feeling much refreshed, his physicians reported at 10 a. m.

The physicians were markedly cheerful as they left the room where the president lies ill. They appeared extremely well satisfied with the substantial progress their patient is making.

Enjoys His Breakfast.

The president slept later than usual. There was little activity about his chamber after he fell asleep early in the night. His usual breakfast of warmed milk, two soft boiled eggs and toast were taken to him about 7:45. He ate with enjoyment.

The president's morning was spent as usual, being shaved and prepared for the day, eating his breakfast and reading the morning papers.

It is probable that the president will receive no visitors today due to his exhausted condition. Cabinet officers who visited the suite reported that their chief's progress was highly satisfactory.

The president probably will be unable to take solid food for sometime yet. His attending physicians withhold predictions as to this signal as to the improvement in Mr. Harding's condition for the same reason they are unable to tell when he will be able to be moved—they do not know.

Anxiety Decreases.

The anxiety which attended every bulletin issued from the sick chamber during the early days of this week has given place to "watchful waiting" on the part of the president's immediate party and others connected with the chief executive.

Mrs. Harding breakfasted early and was reported as being at the bedside of the president during the forenoon. She continued today to eat heartily of food brought to the tiny suite dining room and to take care of such personal correspondence as her time away from the president's bedside will permit.

MOTHER KILLS SON, SUICIDES

Husband and Father Find Victims

SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 2. — Mrs. Julius Lindenstruth and her 13-year-old son were found shot to death in bed here today. Authorities believed the mother had killed the boy and then committed suicide while mentally deranged. The bodies were found by Major Lindenstruth, retired, husband and father of the victims.

COURT PROBES 18 OF DOLLINGS SUBSIDIARIES

COLUMBUS, Ohio, August 2.—A vigorous court probe of subsidiaries of the R. L. Dollings fiscal brokerage house was resumed today. The Dollings company and eighteen of its subsidiaries are now in receivers hands.

$1,000,000 Extra

The million-dollar extra girl they call her in the movies at Hollywood, Mary Louise Hartje, an extra girl, receiving $7.50 a day, who lives with her mother, has four autos and a retinue of servants. She's a granddaughter of John L. Scott, former president of Pennsylvania R. R., and made her debut in Pittsburgh society three years ago. She eloped with a prominent society man, from whom she has since obtained a divorce. Then, tiring of life in the "upper strata," she joined the movie colony.

GIRL HIT BY CAR, SKULL BROKEN

Margaret Cox, 7, Believed Seriously Injured

Struck by an automobile about 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Austin avenue and Sixth street, little Margaret Cox, 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cox, 514 Sixth street sustained a fracture at the base of her skull and probably other serious injuries, attending physicians said today.

It will be several days before the exact extent of the child's injuries can be determined, the physicians said. Following the accident, a man giving the name of Jerry Jessup was taken into custody by Deputy Sheriff W. H. Bailey, who turned him over to the police as the driver of the automobile which struck the child, police say.

Jessup later was released by police on his own recognizance. At Mary Gates hospital, where the little girl was rushed in a Grammier ambulance summoned to the scene of the accident, an examination failed to develop any serious injuries, and she was removed to her parents' home, where later she began bleeding at the nose and ears and vomiting blood.

MINE ON FIRE

Old Nevada Bonanza Blazing On 1400 Foot Level

CARSON CITY, Nev., August 2.—Fire of unknown origin and extent was discovered today on the 1400-foot level of the Consolidated Virginia Mine a Virginia City by the shift going to work. This level yielded a bonanza in the early days.

No men are in the mine except those helmeted who are investigating the blaze.

PITTMAN ON VACATION

J. P. Pittman, proprietor of the Liberty theater, left this morning for a six weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Birmingham, Ala., and Atlanta, Ga.

NO SETTLEMENT IN RUHR IS NEAR SAYS BALDWIN

French Francs, 17.5 to $1, Reflect Uneasiness

CURZON SEES RUIN

British Premier Urges Financial Parley

PARIS, Aug. 2.—In anticipation of a definite break with England over reparations as a result of Premier Baldwin's statement in commons, the French franc went tumbling to the lowest levels it has touched since the war.

The British pound, normally 24 francs, opened at 79.70. Quoted in American dollars, the franc at 17.47 made a new low record. The franc was weak even in comparison with Italian lire, the opening quotations being 75.50 per one hundred lire.

Britain to Bring Pressure On French

LONDON, August 2.—Failing to announce a definite break with France and Belgium over reparations, Premier Baldwin in commons and Marquis Curzon in lords delivered today identical statements that expressed a hope that unity of the entente that won the war may yet be possible in the division of the spoils.

But the British statesmen stressed the need for prompt action and declared that having failed to reach agreement with her allies on reparations, Britain proposes to publish recent correspondence and thus bring world pressure to bear upon France and Belgium.

No Definite Threat.

With permission of the allies Baldwin proposed to tell commons of the recent interchange of notes on reparations. But he made no definite threat of separate action. "We are not unhopeful of securing allied unity," the premier declared, while a crowded house that had expected to hear a rupture of the entente cheered.

While Baldwin was urging that discussion which would lead to a financial conference be started at once, Curzon was warning the lords that Europe is sinking rapidly towards ruin and that there might not be time to wait while statesmen argued.

There is no prospect of a joint reply at present however, nor of an early settlement of the Ruhr dispute, Baldwin said, estimating refusals of France and Belgium on this point had been definite.

Determined to Prevent Crisis.

Curzon remarked in lords that the continental allies had even neglected to refer to the draft of a proposed joint note to Germany sent them last week.

Replying to questions in the house after he had made his statement, the premier said Britain will reply to the French and Belgian communications and will "leave no stone unturned to bring together and keep together the allied forces and to secure just payment from Germany."

Baldwin promised that should a crisis arise in allied relations, he would not hesitate to convoke parliament, which adjourned today.

A. & M. STUDES TO TALK ENROLLMENTS

For the purpose of getting new students acquainted with the Texas A. & M. college, a meeting of all boys who are planning to attend A. & M. this fall will be held Friday night, August 3, at 8 o'clock at the C. H. Barnes firm, 515 Houston avenue, Gerald Barnes, A. & M. student, said today. Questions pertaining to the institution will be answered at this meeting.

MAN, WOMAN, HELD FOR KILLING HUSBAND

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 2.—Following the finding of the mutilated body of Frank Perigo in a shallow grave near Clarksville, John Hall, farmer, and Mrs. Perigo were held today on a charge of murder.

If You Think You Go Some, Consider Mileage of Wind Machine

Summer vacationists who drive a distance of 3,000 miles are thought to be seasoned veterans, but are just week-end visitors in comparison with the weather bureau's anemometer atop the government building.

Steadily throughout July this instrument traveled 6,532 miles in recording the wind velocity of the month and thereby went into second place for total wind movement since the station was established in Port Arthur in 1917. January in 1917 produced a greater amount of wind when the instrument traveled 6,866 miles for the record.

At that rate the distance around the world will be traveled within the next few months. During July the average miles an hour was 8.8.

Port Arthur was slightly more than one half of one per cent below the average sunshine for the past month, the records showing 68 per cent of the possible sunshine falling to Port Arthur's lot.

The average temperature for the month was .8 of a degree below normal, being 81.1 degrees. Out of 20 days of rainfall but 16 days were measurable, less than .01 of an inch falling on the remaining four days. The hottest day was July 24 when the mercury went to 96, against July 15 when it dropped to 68.

For 24 consecutive hours on July 8 and 9 the rainfall was 1.8 inches, taking the prize for the month's greatest rainfall in 24 consecutive hours. Despite this the total rainfall was 2.07 inches under the average for the past month, 4.90 inches of rain having fallen.

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"The Box Trick," the First of a Series of Absorbing Short Stori

CAPTAIN JOHN HEWITT—Commissioner of Police at Jesselton—sprang to his feet and extended a welcoming hand to a stout, elderly Chinaman pausing on the threshold.

Monica Viney, delightfully at ease in a cane-chair, raised her eyes from her book to observe the newcomer. His attire seemed to be a studied compromise between eastern and western fashions, for he wore a white tunic, baggy-trousers of black silk, and black boots with elastic sides. Across his chest stretches a gold watch-chain, the links of which were peculiarly massive, and the third finger of his left hand displayed a ring set wit a large green stone.

"You sent for me," he announced, with a harsh intonation that, for some reason, struck terror into her soul.

"That's right," agreed the commissioner cordially. "Come in and sit down. This is my sister, Mrs. Viney. Monica, I want to introduce you to the wealthiest and most respected Chinese gentlemen on the island—Mr. Chai-Hung."

"How do you do?" murmured Monica sweetly. She was about to rise when a movement of the oriental's hand checked her.

"Please don't move, Mrs. Viney. I cannot tell you how delighted I am to make your honored acquaintance I understand you arrived in Borneo only a short time ago."

Monica flushed.

"I came from Singapore three days ago—in the Jelandang" she replied 'It was a wonderful trip. I was practically the only passenger in the first-class saloon."

Chai-Hung lowered himself into a chair.

"Practically?" he echoed.

"Why, yes There was only myself—and a Mr. Pennington."

Hewitt looked up sharply.

"Of course you'll stop to tea, Mr Chai-Hung?"

The Chinaman shook his head slowly.

"I never take tea, at least, not what you western people term tea You'll pardon me, I know, if I say that our national beverage suffered considerably when it came into your hands. You diluted it with milk — and spoiled it with sugar'"

The commissioner crossed his legs and held his cigar-case toward his guest.

Chai-Hung helped himself.

Hewitt slapped each of his pockets in turn, accepted the Chinaman's box of matches, lit Chai-Hung's cigar, then turned his attention to his own With blissful unconcern, he dropped the box into his tunic pocket.

Monica, keenly observant, watched with amused interest the almost pathetic expression with which the oriental followed the cool appropation of his property. A ripple of laughter escaped her lips.

"Didn't you know that?" she demanded. "I thought everybody did I don't believe he's ever bought matches in his life! Jack, give Mr Chai-Hung his matches."

The commissioner started guiltily.

"By jove! I'm frightfully sorry I hadn't the least intention—" He handed them back

The eyes of Chai Hung positively twinkled

"I must remember that" he all

"I sent for you, Mr Chai Hung' Hewitt began, 'because I am seriously in need of help Your amazing insight into affairs that concern your own people has been of great service to me in the past; I am hoping that it will serve to lift the veil from a mystery of which the non-solution may enforce my resignation of my position here"

"As bad as that?"

The commissioner nodded

"Lord Stornaway and his wife dined here last night and left this morning for Sandakan

"I wanted their visit to be devoid of unpleasantness While we were at dinner, her ladyship remembered she had left an unusually valuable diamond pendant on her dressing table. I suggested that my sister should fetch it She got there just in time to see Lady Stornaway's diamonds disappearing through the open window"

He paused and grimed at his sister

She began speaking very quickly

'As I opened the door, a current of air met me, sending something flutering to the floor I stooped to recover it and a sound from the window attracted my attention It was open and through the aperture I saw a long brown arm, its fingers passing rapidly along the wooden surface until they closed over the case that held the pendant. A second later and both arm and pendant had disappeared. I believe I screamed for the next moment Jack and Lord Stornaway were both in the room Lady Stornaway followed I felt the room going round me The next thing I remember is finding myself in this chair, still holding the piece of card that I had picked up before I saw the arm."

She shuddered and Chai Hung rose to his feet.

"A distinctly unpleasant experience," he commented suavely, "And the piece of card—what was it like, Mrs Viney?"

"It was as long as my index finger," broke in the commissioner, "with rounded corners On one side it was black, on the other yellow—with seven black dots, four of them above a faint dividing line that ran halfway—and three below."

Monica, leaning over the arm of her chair, wrinkled her forehead She could have sworn that the habitually unruffled Chai-Hung had started violently.

"An ordinary Chinese playing card," he suggested.

The commissioner shook his head

"It was possibly intended to look like one, but the coloring was different. The background is, I believe, invariably white. This was yellow. I am inclined to attach a good deal of importance to this card, Mr. Chai-Hung, I fancy this theft was no common theft, the perpetrator no ordinary thief."

Chai-Hung regarded his watch. "What is your theory, Captain Hewitt if I may ask?"

"I believe that thi saffair is not wholly unconnected with the present wave of anti-British feeling that prevails everywhere I look at it as a carefully calculated plan to cause considerable annoyance to a prominent Englishman, the work, in fact of a secret society Be that as it may," he concluded abruptly, "I'm in about the biggest hole I've dropped into during the whole of my official career.'

"Has it ever occurred to you," asked the oriental blandly, "that a secret society in the east is very

CHAI-HUNG LEAPED TO HIS FEET

much the same as a trade union in the west?"

"Then you don't agree with me?"

"Hardly."

'But" cried Monica excitedly, how do you account for the yellow seven?'

Chai Hung leaped to his feet and stood glaring at her, his fists clenching and unclenching in his efforts to choke down the fury that consumed him.

'What do you know of the Yellow Seven?" he demanded fiercely.

She regarded him in amazement.

"Why,' she retorted innocently, "it was yellow — and there were seven dots"

The oriental wallowed something in his throat.

"Of course, I was forgetting" he admitted half to himself. "I'll do everything possible Captain Hewitt.

At the entrance he turned.

"Good afternoon, Captain Hewitt Good day, Mrs Viney'

He was off at a rapid pace and the commissioner watched his red paper umbrella until it was out of sight

He turned to find Pennington at his elbow

Good Lord, man' How did you get here?'

The other grinned The only thing that was remarkable about Peter Pennington was the angle at which his eyes were set on an otherwise youthful countenance They ran obliquely and were as celestial in appearance as those of the great Chai Hung

"Came in far as the sun blinds,' Pennington explained Heard the sound of voices and retreated to the kitchen entrance Found your office a damn sight cooler than the outer atmosphere'

The commissioner surveyed him doubtfully

"You've been listening'

"I always listen" admitted the newcomer unabashed 'It's my job"

"I suppose you gathered that our oriental acquaintance is a wishout as far as this affair is concerned, said Hewitt gloomily

The younger man leant against the wall and began rolling a cigaret

"Afternoon Mrs Viney' Hot isn't it?'

Frightfully Mr Pennington you don't really think Mr Chai Hung will help Jack, do you? I think he's a horrible man!'

Know anything about Chai Hung? asked Pennington suddenly

Hewitt stared

'He's a prosperous Chinese and rich at He plants rubber as a sort of profit the hobby Chai Hungs as white as they make 'em for all his yellow hide'

"And yet he refuses to help you?"

Not at He promised to do his best I hardly expected him to send the diamond pendant to me by this evening

Pennington turned and gazed thoughtfully toward a sea of infinite blue

"Thanks" he murmured drily 'I take it then that you place absolute confidence in our friend?'

'Certainly. I've no reason to do otherwise.'

The younger man swung slowly round on his heel. He walked down toward the kitchen quarters, then came back and stood in front of the commissioner's chair.

If Chai-Hung knows as much of the manners and customs of his people as you are inclined to imagine he could have told you one thing at least—if he had chosen. He could have explained to you that the recovery of the lost diamonds is every moment becoming more difficult because it is changing hands with incredible rapidity."

Monica gasped.

"The well of oriental cunning knows no bottom," continued Pennington, "and yet I flatter myself I've learnt to probe into it deeply."

"I have been working quietly but steadily on this rather unusual jewel robbery.

"I found no difficulty in running the original thief to earth. I was on the point of closing with him when a singular complication occurred: As I lay on my 'tummy' in the undergrowth, he was knifed—completely and effectively—before my eyes!"

Hewitt bent forward suddenly.

"Good Lord!"

"I collared the assassin low and we fought like wild cats He had the strength of a bison and, if he hadn't left his knife in the back of his victim, I shouldn't be here now. Anyhow he broke away and got clear leaving me with this."

He held the torn half of a yellow scrap of paste board before the commissioner's astonished eyes.

For a second Hewitt seemed deprived of the power of speech, and it was Monica's voice that launched the question

'But, Mr. Pennington, if he were a confederate—why did he kill his friend?"

"Because," suggested her brother, "once having got the pendant, he decided to keep it."

"No," said Pennington with conviction, "I fancy you're wrong there The assassin didn't trouble to search the dead man, but I went over him very thoroughly. The booty had passed from his hands long before I overtook him"

Monica drew in a deep breath.

'I still don't see—

'I believe our friend was guilty of a serious indiscretion in leaving behind the token that had been entrusted to him—the yellow seven"

"I don't see that we're much forward," declared Hewitt moodily "What do you suggest doing?"

"Turning-in for a spell," said Pennington. "In the meantime watch every port, search everyone who tries to embark everyone, you understand, Chester"

He made his way toward the back of the house leaving Monica babbling over with curiosity

Hewitt anticipated the question that was forming itself on her lips

"That's about the most remarkable feller in eastern waters," he told her 'Chinese Pennington' they call him You saw his eyes? His pedigree's faultless, but some extraordinary freak of fortune — or birth, if you like — looking like that, I fancy locality has a big effect on appearance. Pennington's people have been merchants in Shanghai for generations Anyhow there it is' To all intents and purposes he's as white as you or me, but there's no getting away from the fact that he has the eyes of an oriental He knows Chinese character inside out He can talk like them. He can get himself up to look like 'em He holds a sort of roving commission He's streets ahead of the ordinary native detective The queer thing is that the natives know of Pennington but they've never managed to nail him They regard him as something almost superhuman They call him 'the who sees in the dark'"

"How delightfully thrilling" commented Monica 'He must be frightfully brave"

The commissioner smiled grimly

'Pennington'd tackle the devil in carnate"

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The presence of a young, beautiful and undeniably attractive widow is bound to cause something more than a mild sensation in any quarter of the globe where there happens to be a preponderance of unattached males It was perfectly natural therefore, that Monica Viney at such times when her brother was occupied with his affairs was rarely at a loss for a cavalier to accompany her on her habitual excursions in search of knowledge, after the sun was down. At these times, however, Pennington was never available He came and went and yet she had never witnessed either his arrival or departure

It was during one of these evening walks that she persuaded Dawson—a local district officer—to take her to a gambling hell.

They had been strolling leisurely through the native quarter scooping up commendable stores and purchasing an inordinate quantity of perfectly useless articles They halted presently before a long building from which at intervals came bursts of guttural chattering At one end a door stood half open, a path of yellow light falling on the roadway

She caught his arm impulsively and tried to drag him toward the entrance but Dawson, cautious and immovable as granite, waited until there was a lull in the stream of voices He guided her through the doorway and into a narrow cubicle screened from the outrance hell by a heavy curtain An elderly Chinaman hump backed and wizened left the stool on which he had been seated nodded to Dawson and went out Her escort placed the stool in front of a narrow slit cut in the woodwork

Monica peered curiously through There was a long table running the whole length of the hall, a round dozen of smaller ones and the entire walls seemed to be covered with crudely colored pictures without frames The whole atmosphere throbbed with feverish activity, the rattling of dice, and spasmodic intervals grunts that she could not decide whether intended for signs of pleasure or despair There were clerks in white Jack native overseers in greasy suits, coolies with broad brimmed hats of plaited cane and wearing only loincloths

A Chinaman wearing enormous horn rimmed spectacles sat at the far end of a big table before what appeared to be the inverted halves of cocoanut shells Whenever these were lifted, there arose a repetition of the discordant babel she had heard as they approached. All along both sides, orientals of every class and distinction thronged the rocking forms. Every now and then a man rose, seemingly emotionless, and left the table.

Monica, the novelty of this strange scene holding her enthralled, allowed her gaze to wander round the room. Presently it fell upon the form of an oriental in a suit of greasy blue whose face seemed peculiarly familiar. Every time a player from the top vacated his seat, this enthusiastic gambler moved into it, in this manner getting gradually nearer to the man with the horn rimmed spectacles who manipulated the shells. Presently he looked up at the swinging oil lamp — and

HE FIRED ONCE

Monica uttered a little cry In spite of the elaborate disguise, there was something in the set of the mobile mouth, something in the poise of the shoulders that betrayed him She found her lips forming the words — Chinese Pennington'

A moment later and he had reached the apparent zenith of his desire. His elbow touched the sleeve of the man who presided but his eyes were staring straight before him at an enormous Chinaman who sat opposite, both hard resting on the table, the fingers slightly closed

For some reason that she could not quite define, a mental picture became forming in her mind: a picture that the vividness of Pennington's description had impressed on her memory She saw a glade in the night shrouded jungle wastes a huddled form with a long knife protruding from between hunched up shoulder blades — and "the who sees in the dark' struggling for dear life in the matted undergrowth.

Her vivid imagination had already established the identity of the man who now faced the hero of her romance Behind her she heard Dawson strike a match and puff strenuously at his pipe And then through the nebulous smoke-haze, the three principal figures at the top end of the long table stood out in bold relief from the surging background of negligible supers

In a moment of time the thing happened The man opposite Pennington slid a yellow hand toward the Chinaman in the horn spectacles, as if trying to pass him the something over which the powerful fingers were closed like a flash, Pennington's arms shot out, sending coins clinking to the bare boards, scattering little heaps of paper money It's outstretched hands as a sudden gust Swift as the movement had been, the action of the listless oriental who presided was quicker The mysterious package — wrapped in a broad green leaf secured by strands of twisted longkong—vanished into some hidden pocket beneath the wide sleeved jacket A score of swarthy forms leaped to their feet and Pennington was lost to view in a writhing swaying circle above which flashed a forest of take blade

We'd better get out of this, said Dawson at Monica's elbow

As his arm slipped through hers she cast one last glance into the seething den. The circle dissolved into the form of an unruly horse shoe She saw the central figure stagger back, the horn spectacles slipping from his face saw the long arms of the powerfully built oriental outstretched the ordering of clothing of a hoarse denunciation that was lost in the tumult of voices, and caught the glint of the blue barrel of an automatic Pennington swung completely round on one heel his pistol sending his assailants stumbling over one another leaving him a channel through which to escape But he only fired once With unswerving accuracy he shattered the glass chimney of the swinging lamp plunging the building into darkness

Thirty seconds later Monica found herself leaning against a wall under a pet dome sprinkled with stars Dawson gasping for breath stood at her side She was wondering whether Pennington had caught their, whether it had actually been Lady Stornaway's diamond pendant contained in the queer package the transit of which the Englishmen had striven to intercept

She could have sworn the Chinaman who manipulated the inverted shells was none other than the man on whom for hours she had declared absolute confidence Chai Hung!

But even as the swiftly moving events of that momentous evening were imprinted on her memory, she was destined to witness a somewhat puzzling curtain" to her singularly poignant drama, a climax that for some moments at least, forced her to believe she had been the victim of an optical delusion. For, as she turned to murmur her thanks to the immutable Dawson, her glance wandered from the flight of white steps to a long cane chair at the far end of the commissioner's veranda.

Clothed in a suit of immaculate whites, breathing with the placid regularity of a healthy child, Chinese Pennington slumbered peacefully!

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Monica was leaning on the wooden rail gazing beyond the sun scorched slopes to where—at the farthest extremity of the white jetty, the black funnel of the Darvel emitted a faint, hesitant line of smoke.

Hewitt — in his shirt sleeves, his topee set at a jaunty angle, was interviewing a native orderly in the garden. However, in the foreground, coolly meeting a juvenile fox-terrier to barrow in a bed for a legendary rat, Peter Pennington smoked and waited He approached the commissioner the instant the interview was at an end.

"Just been down to the boat," he explained. "She pushes off at eleven."

Hewitt glanced at his watch.

'There's a good half-hour to go yet."

'Quite a lot can happen in half an hour," returned Pennington. "Still searching everybody?"

The commissioner grunted.

"If you want my opinion," he said, 'that confounded pendant's not on the island."

"I'm afraid I don't agree with you it probably won't be here much longer." He flicked the ash from his cigaret 'Seen Chai-Hung?"

"No, but he sent up a chit by a coolie, asking permission to go on board and interview the supercargo about some race he's expecting."

"Of course you refused?"

The commissioner described a semi circle in the dust with the toe of a shoe

"On the contrary" he asserted boldly, "I gave him a permit. The evidence you've succeeded in raking together against him is purely circumstantial. You've always had your knife into him, you know"

Pennington stuck his feet wide apart

"He damn nearly had a knife into me—a couple of nights ago" He caught Hewitt's sleeve "Look here old son I'm not letting you chuck away your chances like this Storm's all right, but she'll never rest until she's got you out of this Pattani, out rubbers is the very devil" He lowered his voice to a whisper Chai Hungs got that pendant on him now don't you understand? Once he's got it aboard you won't have a dog's chance of finding it."

The commissioner wavered.

You don't know who's got it," he declared

"I've every reason to believe he has, and I'm not taking any risks If you don't slip into your tunic and come down with me, I warn you I'll watch him myself"

At that moment, Monica, trembling with suppressed excitement, caught sight of a red umbrella passing briskly along the roadway at the foot of the slope.

"Jack" she called out suddenly 'go down with Mr Pennington You can't afford to stand on ceremony'

'I'm up to my neck in work," growled Hewitt protestingly.

"It's something to have work—to be up to your neck in?" declared his sister, joining them

She waved her hand to them until they were out of sight but only Pennington responded

Within twenty yards of the gangway they overtook Chai-Hung

"Morning," said Pennington cheerfully.

The oriental stopped dead.

"Good morning gentlemen" He looked at Hewitt 'I have to thank you for your extreme courtesy," he told him smoothly 'On occasions like these there are certain formalities which — necessary though they may seem to be — are distinctly annoying"

The commissioner flushed.

'I regret to inform you, Mr Chai Hung that circumstances have arisen which necessitate enforcing the temporary measure even in your case

The Chinaman started

'Do I understand Captain Hewitt that you propose detaining me?'

"I'm afraid so"

Chai Hungs lips paled, but his broad features betrayed not the least sign of emotion For a second his gaze travelled to Pennington, who returned it with interest

Im afraid you will both be disappointed"

"On the contrary,' returned Pennington with studied politeness, "I feel sure that both the commissioner and myself would be infinitely more tickled sinoold it transpire that Lady Stornaway's diamonds have come into your possession'

Chai Hung drew in a deep breath, folded his umbrella, and handed it to a waiting coolie

Hewitt moved impatiently

'Might as well get this unpleasant duty over, he suggested. 'A cabin would be the handiest place, don't you think, Pennington?'

They crossed the gangway and passed into the first cabin room that chanced to be unoccupied. Pennington closed the door.

'Can I offer you a drink Mr Chai Hung?' asked the commissioner.

THERE LAY A DREAM OF PLATINUM AND DIAMONDS

The oriental shook his head and, producing a cigar case quaintly embroidered with a silver dragon, glanced inquiringly round.

"I have your permission to smoke?"

"Most certainly," Hewitt hastened to assure him 'No thanks Not for me. If you don't mind, I'll have a cigaret"

Pennington, seated on the edge of the berth, his hands stuck deep in his pockets, declined also, Chai-Hung lit up cheerfully, and passed the matches on to the commissioner.

Ten minutes later, both Englishmen emerged.

Hewitt dropped into a chair and, tilting back his helmet, mopped his brow.

"Now are you satisfied?" he demanded

"Perfectly," declared Pennington emphatically 'What d'you say to some liquid refreshment?'

"If it weren't so confoundedly hot,' said the commissioner, "I'd order a double brandy' As far as I can see you've made a pretty mess of the whole affair. I'd have put my shirt on Chai Hung — and I was right I can tell you — if you don't mind my saying so — that our mutual acquaintance is mortally offended with the way you went over him."

"I'd admit I was thorough," chuckled the other, signaling to a steward who lounged in the doorway. "I suppose we've just about time to quench our thirsts and get ashore before she sails"

He ordered slings.

The deep throated note of the sirens often reverberated suddenly and, at that moment, Chai Hung emerged from the cabin, surveying the dead end of the cigar he had tossed inside Both men rose but the benign smile with which he received greeted them drove the intended apology from Hewitt's lips

'Afternoon, Mr Pennington," he said, is the keynote of sincerity I sincerely hope that before we meet again you will have been successful in your search

With disarming cordiality he dropped a hand on the shoulder of each and accompanied them to the gangway.

Hewitt was on the point of crossing to the jetty when Chai Hung laughed.

You will never care yourself of that little failing, I'm afraid," he assured blandly 'Do you mind returning me my matches?"

The commissioner dropped his cane

'You don't mean to say—? By Gad' I have them!" He produced the missing box

The oriental, still smiling, reached out for it but before his fingers could close on it, Pennington's hand intervened.

"Just a minute," he murmured apologetically, a queer light in his eyes, "Mine happens to be out, too?" He turned his back and, withdrawing the thirty cover, deliberately emptied the legitimate contents into his palm. He let the matches fall, one by one, to the deck, and Hewitt obsessed with a hazy notion that his friend's recent energies had turned his brain, stepped close up to him and moved [illegible] shoulder.

Yielding to the pressure of Pennington's finger nail, the false bottom of the box came away, and there, in the cunningly contrived recess it had so effectively screened, lay a dream of platinum and diamonds—the myriad facets flashing in the frosty sunlight'

The commissioner recoiled in speechless amazement presently he found his tongue

'Good Lord' How on earth— He must have guessed—" He choked suddenly and passed a weary hand across his forehead "He had the damned effrontery to give 'em to me" he swung round savagely 'Here Mr Chai Hung—"

But the Great Chai Hung was gone!

"The Hut in the Clearing" the next episode of this gripping series, will start in Monday's issue.

WOMAN POSTMASTER CLAIMS AGE RECORD

WASHINGTON, Aug 1 Claims of New Mexico that the state possesses the oldest woman postmaster Mrs. Effie M Bolles 77 years old who has served for nine years at Santa Fe, was challenged

Postmaster General New received a letter from Clare Montana advising the claims of Mr Mary Harlan postmaster there Mrs Harlan is 83 years old and has been postmaster at Conrad for 31 years She succeeded her husband who had held the post eight years before her

WOLF CITY WOMAN HEAD STATE

GREENVILLE, Texas, Information has been received by her friends that Mrs. Green of Wolfe City has been honorary vice president of State exposition, to be held October 1 to 6 Only two from the state have been placed in positions and the selection of Green as one of them is flattering to her numerous Hunt county friends.

PASTOR QUITS BOAT AS PORCUPINE

EASTON, Wash, Aug grown porcupine, quills dropped from an overhanging tree into the boat from Rev. Sidney Buck of Easton fishing. The Rev Mr Buck, however, better versed in lambs and goats then porcupines, chose rather than take chances of knocking off the beast with the oars the craft and swam to the

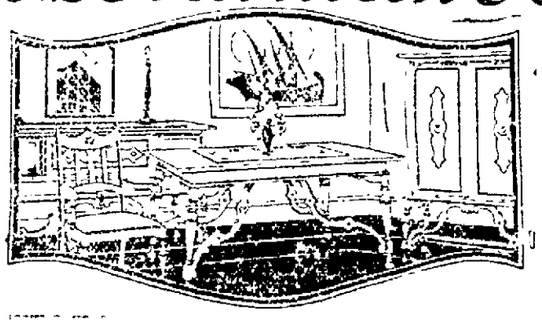
VASSAR TO ENROLL POLISH STU

POUGHKEEPSIE A [illegible] opportunity [illegible] has been established by Vassar College. Through its president, Noble MacCracken and [illegible] women of Finland are to come to this country next year to begin a year's college course. Tuition will come to Vassar and [illegible] Smith.

CHICKEN THIEVES ACTIVE AT DE

DENNISON, Texas, Chicken thieves once again [illegible] following a cessation of [illegible] Friday night a number of [illegible] taken from a place in Mu[illegible] Several arrests have been made recently but the practice [illegible]

August Furniture Sale



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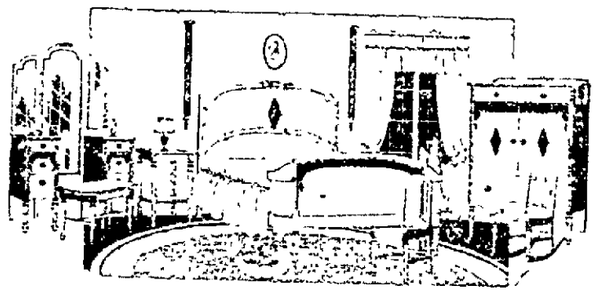

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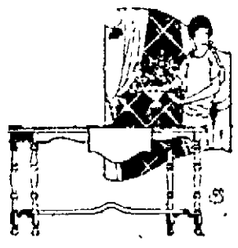

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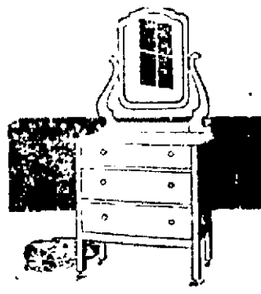

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. Burke Comes to See, en Makes It His Home

ty days after arriving in Port s, J. W. Burke, formerly of Or reports he has between $8,000 10,000 invested in real estate in lace and is "sold for a million" e future development of Port s.

ke has opened a grocery store J. Leavy building, and Port s residents point the establish out to visitors as one of the politan touches added recently, rt Neches. Fancy groceries and products both are handled in 's grocery store.

Looks Good, He Says

rt Neches looks good to me," said "Just a few days after I here from Orange, where I'd in the grocery business for the 1 years, I bought a home here, this stock of groceries, and I m business here has surely ex my expectations" he said.

eature of Burke's grocery store delivery service he maintains parts of Port Neches. And touch of enterprise he re he is planning is putting in a of a carload, or 15,000, musk raps this fall for trappers in section of the county.

Traps for Trappers

er in Orange I always sold two ds of traps, approximately 30 and I believe there'll be a de here for them," Burke said added that he has already d an order for half a carload of for fall delivery

dern improvements, arrange s equipment and fixtures have installed by Burke in his Port s store When the housewives e place want celery, for instance, find this fancy delicacy is to be at the new grocery store, several ared Another outstanding fea of the store is the clean, cool, convenient appearance it pre s to customers

E. CHURCH IS TO BUILD SOON

Structure To Be Used in New at Nederland

onstruction of a new edifice for First Methodist church on two er lots adjoining the site of the ent building is expected to be ted within the next 12 months . J. N. Vincent, the pastor, an nced

Plans for the new building are far enough along to state defin just what kind of a building contemplate, and we are still fig g on purchasing the corner lots Vincent said

he program of church building expansion includes the tearing n of the present building, built ut 15 years ago and using the er in it for a new parsonage h would be built on the site of present church building, the new ch to go up on the corner lots h the church is considering buy the pastor said.

uart of Rum Found n Digging Basement For New Rail Station

OUTH PORTLAND, Me., Aug A large force of workmen be excavation work for the big oad here for the Portland Ter l company, and the diggers pre d luck for the venture when of them located under a few of earth a quart of old Medford

e shoveler who made the dis ry was a little doubtful as to his but a veteran present explained it was and what it was used

e old timer also recalled that ew terminal is to be erected on ide of Rigby Park, once a noted England race track, and that was not such a novelty on the twenty eight years ago when the g plant was abolished, as it is

HOUNDED FROM HOME BY PLAYMATES

LTIMORE, Md., Aug 4.—Eight old Joseph Bruno, who recaden shot and killed his 3 year old nate, Meneca Gramegna, has hounded from his home by his r playmates and is in hiding in of the St. Vincent de Paul So-

gedy has trailed the life of the ster. Three years ago, when s hardly five years old, his fa "Tony" Bruno, was stabbed to in a quarrel, and his murderer w serving a lengthy sentence in alian prison

LS ARE SACRED IN SWISS HOMES

NEVA, Switzerland, Aug 4.— "bells" remain sacred in erland

Swiss people have just rejected eral law which would have the manufacture of alcohol a monopoly. The rejecting vote 57,779, against 270,068.

IS INVOLUNTARY TRANS-OCEAN GUEST

W YORK Aug 4.—James son of Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, made an involuntary trip to e on the French liner Paris by overcome by the heat while a friend off, returned by the d States Line steamship Amer The boy was met at quarantine s father.

Nederland Briefs

Miss Marie Gregg of Beaumont is a guest of Misses Angelina and Teresa Kaper.

Mrs. W. E. Jones of Turnerville, Texas, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Price

Miss Elizabeth VanderWeg has returned from A & M college where she took the short summer course in home economics.

T. J. Dempsey is sick at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs E. B. Leben and daughter, Miss Alpha, attended the funeral of their friend, the late Dr. Penman in Beaumont Saturday.

K. Koelemay purchased a new car this week

The Baptist Sunday school held its annual picnic in the Port Neches park Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Black very graciously entertained three visiting young ladies with a pretty appointed "42" party at her home Monday afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock Miss Lucille Ritter was winner of high score, while Miss Alpha Leben scored low. The rooms were attractively decorated with summer flowers placed in cut glass vases about the rooms Mrs Black assisted by Mrs John Morgan served tempting refreshments of jello topped with whipped cream and cake to the following ladies The honorees, Misses Maud Ferguson and Leonora Copling of Houston, guests of Mrs John Morgan, Miss Julia Mae Adams of Longview, Texas, a guest of Miss Lucille Ritter; Misses Angelina and Teresa Kaper, Marion Oakley Alpha Leben, Marie Gregg of Beaumont, Lucille Ritter and Mrs Fay Thomas

The B Y P U, of the First Baptist church will entertain its members with a social on Thursday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs A Webber.

At the Methodist prayer meeting Wednesday evening Prof E W Jackson will give a talk on his trip to California Everyone is invited

Rev. Vincent filled his regular appointment at Sabine Saturday night and Sunday morning.

Mrs. R D Dawson, Bobbie Williamson and Miss Baker of Port Neches have returned from a pleasant visit with relatives at Burkburnett Texas.

Mr and Mrs J H McNiil Sr, returned home Saturday from a six weeks' visit with friends and relatives at their old home near Greensboro N C. Mrs McNeill brought her little niece home with her to attend school here this winter

Wm McNeill expects to leave this week for a vacation trip to Dallas

Rev and Mrs T. C Estelle and two small daughters are visiting at Nacogdoches

Mr and Mrs John Jordin were guests Sunday of their brother, R A Jordin and wife.

Mrs. Iva Van Woodham is visiting her parents Mr and Mrs W M Oakley

The Music club held its regular practice Monday night at the school auditorium Much enthusiasm is being shown at each meeting and new members are being enrolled at every gathering

COLLEGE PREXY

George Rinkey president of the Baltimore (Md) hobos' organization, as he arrived in Philadelphia to open the summer school of the Hobo Labor College.

Insecticide board at Vienna, Va wants 1,200 bedbugs possibly for over staying company

BIG SHIPMENTS ARRIVE DAILY

15 Cars of Refinery Equipment Daily Average

With an average of 15 car loads of refinery equipment and building materials consigned to the Humphreys Pure Oil company passing in and out of Nederland daily, freight business for the Kansas City Southern railroad at the place has increased over 100 per cent during the past few months.

This is the estimate placed by railroad men upon the boost brought the railroad station at Nederland as a result of refinery construction work at the Humphreys company property near by Before the movement of materials to the Humphreys, the freight business handled at Nederland was very slight, railroad men declare

Now with all of the freight consigned to the Humphreys brought into Nederland and checked out before the cars are switched over on the Humphreys side track, extended off the main line of the K C S a short distance above the Nederland depot, a considerable increase in the freight handled at Nederland is the result, according to the railroad men

Jackie Coogan was robbed Publicity men will be glad when he is old enough for divorces

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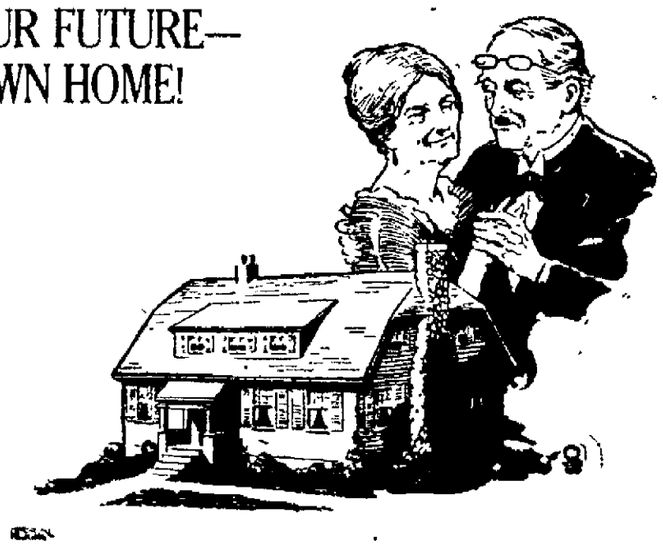

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The pitcher stepped off the rubber, intending, perhaps to throw the ball home, but seeing it was the coacher running, made no play.

The umpire declared the runner on third out because of the act of the coacher. He held that if the coacher attempts to draw a throw because of his actions the runner on third is out whether or not a play is made.

THE INTERPRETATION

The umpire was wrong in ruling the runner on third was out because of the coacher's dashing toward the plate, because no play was made.

The rule states he must draw the throw to the home base for the runner to be declared out.

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Nederland and Port Neches School Growth Places Institutions in Front Rank

HICKS TELLS OF RAPID PROGRESS

Pt. Neches Schools Are Now Matter for Pride

The first school in Port Neches was erected in 1911.

"Back in those days," relates School Superintendent J. H. Hicks, "Port Neches had a two-story brick structure consisting of eight rooms and a basement that was the first school.

And since that time Port Neches has grown from three teachers and 120 scholars, somewhat handicapped by the absence of the modern conveniences and equipments of the 1923 school, to a modern structure situated on seven acres of land with ten rooms and a large auditorium, and a modern five-room cottage in which the "home making" department of the institution is conducted by 21 instructors, six of whom devote their entire time to the high school curriculum.

Favors Group Plan

Port Neches has gradually developed her school life. The old structure formerly recognized as the high school building is still in use, having been modernized and transferred into a grade school. The building fronts one of Port Neches' excellently shelled highways, and is on a direct line with the new high school building, erected in its rear.

"We have imbedded the idea here," Professor Hicks asserted, "of keeping all our school system together; consequently we have our grade and our high school work going on within the same territory."

Student enrollment during the past year counted 572, exclusive of the kindergarten classes, which numbered 60 in all, thus making Port Neches' school attendance run over the 600 mark. The students range in years from 5 to 25, according to Professor Hicks, who predicts that within another year Port Neches will enjoy a more enthusiastic and larger attendance.

The public schools were ungraded when Professor Hicks, officer in the United States medical corps during the world war, took charge three years ago. At that time there were practically no affiliations with higher institutions of learning, it was asserted; while at the present time the school has raised itself to a basis of 16 units for graduation, with 12 Carnegie units affiliation at state university.

22 Units of Study

"We conduct a course of 22 units of study," Professor Hicks asserted, "seven of which are optional."

The department of "home making," encompassing domestic science, covers a field not quite touched by any other high school course in the state of Texas now, and which was added only recently to the high school course at Port Neches.

"During the coming season," Professor Hicks concluded, "we plan to install a business course and a business department, teaching the rudiments of bookkeeping, shorthand and typewriting.

"We also plan to increase the size of our school campus and feel sure that within the very near future we will have a 15-acre tract to replace the seven acres the school structures now occupy."

THOUGHT GUN EMPTY; FIRED KILLING BOY

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 4.—The third child death as the result of firearms accidentally discharged by a juvenile was marked up in Fort Worth when 14-year-old Walter Ellis Fulcher fell mortally wounded in the bedroom of his playmate, Coleman Weatherby, 17 years old, 2206 Ellis avenue. The Fulcher boy is in the morgue of the North Fort Worth Undertaking company. He died before he reached the Baptist hospital in an ambulance. Weatherby is in the county jail pending investigation of the circumstances surrounding the death of his little pal.

CHARACTER READING URGED IN SCHOOLS

ATLANTA CITY, N. J., Aug. 4. The science of reading character by facial examination should be included in public school curriculums, according to Dr. George L. Clark, president of the Merton institute of Philadelphia. By means of charts and oral explanations the speaker showed the use of the science of character reading and predicted that it will shortly be in universal demand because of its importance in vocational advising.

NOW ISN'T THAT THE ANTEATER'S UMBRELLA

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—The ant eater that uses his tail for a parasol when it is not sweeping ants into a pile for eating was brought back by Edmund Heller, a naturalist from the jungles of South America.

Among the other specimens obtained by Heller was a rujupi, similar to a rat and the only animal of the kind ever brought here alive; a bird that is much valued for its oil for cooking and medicinal purposes; many specimens of the howler monkey, vampire bats and birds.

ROOSTER GETS SORE AT EGGS: BREAKS 'EM

PANA, Ill., Aug. 4.—John Brunner, a farmer here, has a rooster that attempted to hatch out his own brood.

For three weeks the rooster sat on twelve eggs as faithfully as any hen. Frequently he would get off the nest, crow, strut about and then return to the eggs.

When none of the eggs showed signs of hatching he gave up, and vented his temper by breaking all the eggs with his spurs.

Girls to Get First Hand Experience

If Port Neches young men draw a partner in the matrimonial lottery who is not up to her housework it will be because they didn't patronize home industry.

Being quick to recognize the need of practice as well as theory, the school system installed a five-room house on the campus, modern in every respect, to give Port Neches young girls a liberal education in housework.

The course is known on the curriculum of the local school as "home making," and it is intended that the young co-ed graduates shall "know their groceries" when they have finished this course.

The course and equipment was passed on by Miss Jessie Harris, director of the home economics course at the University of Texas.

The cottage was built last year and the class of '23 at Port Neches high school received a year's training in the rudiments of the art.

Included in the cottage is a model kitchen to go in hand with the domestic science courses. A pantry for the same purpose was built in the house. A nursery, sewing and fitting room and dining room, where the young girls are trained in the gentle art of reaching a man's heart by way of his stomach, completes the arrangements.

Though installed but last year the course in home making proved quite popular with the pupils, 24 registering for the course last year. This year the number will be increased to 36.

Last year's class was taught by Miss Martha Gaskill.

Taking it all in all, Cupid's personal representative at Port Neches is in for a busy season before long when the young coeds decide to try their handiwork in their own homes.

WOMAN FLAGS TRAIN, SAVED ON TRESTLE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.—Melodrama walked the tracks of the Southern Pacific railroad in San Francisco.

As the Watsonville express boomed out of tunnel No. 3, Engineer H. H. Conners beheld, in the rays of his searchlight beam, a woman waving madly and standing between the rails in the train's path. He jammed on the emergency brakes and stopped a few feet short of Mrs. Lola Brown.

Mrs. Brown declared she had fallen out of the window of a San Jose train just ahead of the Watsonville express. The track at that point ran on a viaduct and there was no escape for her.

CANOEIST REFUSES AID AS CHILDREN DROWN

STILLWATER, Minn., Aug. 4.—Emil Bretzel, 11, and his sister, Helen, 8, of St. Paul, were drowned in the St. Croix river, near here while two canoeists refused to extend aid for fear of upsetting their canoe.

The two children were wading at the beach when they walked into a hole and sank from sight near the canoe. Neither of the bodies has been recovered.

A NEW EDIFICE FOR NEDERLAND

$100,000 Structure To Be Modern of Its Kind

Contract for Nederland's $100,000 new school building will be let within the next six weeks and it is expected the structure will be ready for occupancy in the spring of 1924.

Announcement of the progress on the preliminary work on the new school building is made by E. W. Jackson, superintendent of the Nederland schools, and the plans for the proposed building are now nearing completion in the offices of R. H. Hunt & Co., architects, of Chattanooga, Tenn., designers of the South Park schools, he said.

8 1-2-Acre Sites

Purchase of an eight and a half acre school site one block off the Port Arthur-Beaumont highway on Magnolia street, at a cost of approximately $7000 has been made by the Nederland district school board, Superintendent Jackson said, and the new school building will be built on this tract of land.

"The new building has now planned will be used for high school grades and will provide facilities for 400 students," Superintendent Jackson said. "An auditorium with a seating capacity for 700 is included in the plans being drawn for the building and other features are superintendent's and principal's offices, a gymnasium, a first aid medical room, a music room with soundproof double walls, radio equipment, and moving picture machines and screens, enabling us to not only give visual educational work but free community entertainments, as well.

Add Grade, 2 Departments

"As the plans for the new building progress we also are making plans for enlarging the scope of the school work which will be opened September 3 for the 1923-24 term, adding an eleventh grade and two new departments, a kindergarten and a commercial course. The kindergarten will be for children between the ages of five and six years, and at the present time we have at least 30 enrolled who will start in the kindergarten on the opening day of school.

"Year before last the Nederland schools had no classification. During the year second class rating was awarded us. Then this was increased to first class, and affiliation with the state university, it was increased to seven units. The elementary school of Nederland is one of the very few in the state of Texas given first rank in the state classification," Superintendent Jackson said.

Enrollment At Fall Term To Be Large

Growth of enrollment in Nederland schools from 317 during the past session to between 380 to 390, probably 400 students, is expected to be shown when the schools open for the 1923-24 session on September 3, E. W. Jackson, superintendent of the school, said.

Repairs, renovations and improvements totalling between $4000 and $5000 are now under way at the school building and the four-room frame annex, the superintendent said. These jobs include the installation of a sewer and waterworks system, fresh paint and repairs to the buildings, and present indications are that all will be in readiness for the opening day of school.

The faculty announced by Superintendent Jackson for the 1923-24 term is as follows:

L. D. Adams, principal, science and history; Miss Alberta Poage, librarian; Miss Alice Biggar, mathematics; Miss Nell Walden, home economics; and Miss Lucile Jameson, music and expression. The place of teacher for history and the modern languages is yet to be filled.

In the lower grades the following are elected to the faculty:

Miss Esther Newberry, sixth grade; Miss Lois Bishop, fifth grade; Miss Lucile Ritter, fourth grade; Miss Dorothy Jordan, third grade; Miss Christiana Doorbos, second grade; Miss Edna Barron, first grade, and Miss Vera Winfrey, kindergarten.

Members of the board of trustees of the Nederland school district are H. E. Wagner, president; J. M. Morgan, vice president and acting president in the present absence of President Wagner; Captain John Kaper, R. D. Dawson, W. F. Goodwin, M. B. Huffman, J. L. Price and C. E. Gibson, secretary.

Children's Playground M. E. Church Objective

Establishment of an up-to-date playground, equipped with the most modern devices in Nederland is sponsored by the congregation of the First Methodist church there, according to the pastor, Rev. J. N. Vincent.

On the playgrounds would be tennis courts, croquet grounds, swings, sliding boards and other playground attractions, the pastor said.

The only Boy Scout troop in Nederland, with 25 boys enrolled, and directed in their scouting activities by W. B. Huffman, scoutmaster, is in the First Methodist church, Rev. Vincent said. Four of the boys of the Nederland troop went to the summer camp on Beech Creek with Scouts from Port Arthur and Port Neches in June.

KEEP MATCHES, FIRES AWAY FROM DRESSES

PARIS, Aug. 4.—Many of the wonderful new dress materials which make up the wardrobe of the fashionable American women who buys in Paris are not silk nor chiffon, but pure and simple paper.

Insult, in fact, is added in injury by the further allegation by the French magazine Science et Vie that the paper used in the manufacture of these dress goods is not nice, clean paper, but the refuse of the garbage boxes of Paris.

MOTHER OF 10 ENROLLS IN MERCER UNIVERSITY

MACON, Ga., Aug. 4.—Mrs. Susie Jones Roberts, mother of 10 grown boys and girls today was busy rearing a family of "brain children."

"Having devoted this much of my life to my family, I feel I should give the remainder of my time to my 'brain children,'" Mrs. Roberts said, explaining her reason for entering the journalism department of Mercer University here at her advanced age. Instructors at the university declare Mrs. Roberts is an apt pupil.

L. D. ADAMS TO BE FIRST PRINCIPAL

New $100,000 Structure Necessitates Office

L. D. Adams, recently elected principal of the Nederland schools, will be the first in the history of the schools to hold that position.

Until this year the place of principal has been combined with that of superintendent, but as a result of the progress made on the plans for erecting a new $100,000 school building for the high school classes, adding an eleventh grade, and using the old school building for the elementary grades, the trustees of the Nederland school district created the office of principal, and Adams was elected to fill it.

One of the new principal's first duties will be to build up the athletic activities of the Nederland schools, for in addition to teaching science and history classes, Adams also is chosen athletic coach, school officials said.

During the past session the junior girls' basketball team won the county championship, going through the entire season without meeting defeat. The senior girls' basketball team lost only the last game of the year, and the senior boys went into the finals in the district school meet. The record for the entire school stands at 31 games won out of 43 played.

A lighted basketball court outdoors is one of the features of the athletic equipment at the Port Neches schools, and Superintendent Jackson said recently he plans to have more athletic activities in the schools during the coming session.

TRIAL OF MAGEE IS DELAYED TO AUG. 16

SANTA FE, N. M., Aug 4.—Trial of Carl C. Magee, editor of the New Mexico State Tribune, at Albuquerque on libel charges brought by Judge C. J. Roberts, special prosecutor in previous cases when Magee was convicted of libel and contempt of court, has been postponed until August 16.

NOTE IN CRACKER BOX BRINGS MAN A WIFE

MOUNT VERNON, Ill., Aug. 4.—Joseph Mosco of Walsenburg, Colo., and Miss Bessie Gey were married here recently. The bride, who was employed in a local baking plant, enclosed a note in a box of crackers asking the finder to write. Mr. Mosco wrote and a visit here led to the romance. They will live in Walsenburg.

Adams to Build in Nederland Is Report

Plans for the erection of a modern store building in Nederland by John R. Adams, who operates a number of grocery stores in Port Arthur, Beaumont and Orange, are under way, according to current reports in Nederland.

Adams is figuring with contractors for getting the construction of the building under way within the near future, the reports set forth. While no definite announcement has been made as to where the building will be located, the belief is expressed in Nederland that Adams will get a site on the Port Arthur-Nederland highway.

RAIL STATION IS MODERNIZED

New Foundations Laid, Electric Lights Installed

Several thousands of dollars repair and renovating work on the passenger depot at Nederland is underway by construction forces of the Kansas City Southern railroad, officials of the road announce.

New foundations for the depot, installation of electric lighting fixtures, and fresh paint within and without are among the items included in the depot repair plans, it is said. Early this week the depot was placed on blocks and moved over a few feet in order to renew the foundations of the structure, and as this work is completed, the remainder of the repairs will be made.

The station was built in 1899, one of the oldest stations on the K. C. S., and has been enlarged from time to time as increasing business demanded, railroad men said. No additions to the present structure are contemplated at this time, they said.

DEMAND FOR LOTS IN ADDITIONS HEALTHY

As though with a fairy wand, additions all over Port Neches have sprung up overnight, and are being rapidly disposed of.

The rush to the vicinity resembles the gradual rise of a young gold field of the earlier days.

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We extend an invitation to all Port Neches and Nederland women to attend this sale for it means just as much to them as it does to those who live closer. You too can share in the many attractive values that we are offering on all summer merchandise.

See Our Merchandise Ad On Page 12

Deutser

Stop at the Nederland Pharmacy for Drinks, Lunches and Drugs

The Nederland Pharmacy is located in the heart of Nederland. Its ideal location makes it the logical place to stop when in Nederland for lunches, cold drinks, Dairy Made ice cream and drugs.

We Serve Dairy Maid Ice Cream

Most everyone in Jefferson county knows what it means to say "we serve Dairy Maid Ice Cream." It means that no better ice cream can be made than Dairy Maid. It means that only pure sweet cream is used in its manufacture. Stop here and enjoy a Dairy Maid treat.

Barbecue and Lunches

We have just recently enlarged our sandwich stand. Besides serving all kinds of sandwiches and lunches we also handle barbecue of all kinds—chicken included. Next time you are passing through Nederland and want a real good lunch or sandwich stop at this clean sanitary place and get one. You won't regret it for our food and service is sure to please the most fastidious.

A First Class Drug Store

Besides our fountain service we carry a complete line of drugs and sundries. Only fresh clean merchandise is handled at this first class store, so you are sure of getting quality goods when you buy from here. Try us for anything in the drug line.

Our line of drug sundries is quite complete, along with our prescription department which is in charge of a registered pharmicist at all times. We carefully follow your doctor's orders.

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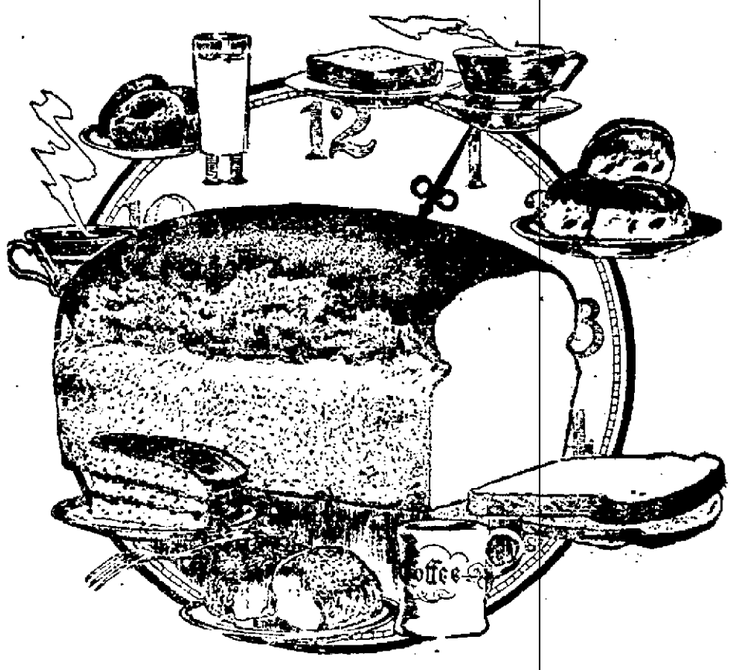

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The Nederland Bakery is the most sanitary plant in this section of the state. You can walk into this clean plant any time and see for yourself that everything is absolutely handled in the best manner.

The children are growing fast; and besides they play hard in the balmy weather. All of which means they need the best kind of nourishment. Feed them our bread and notice the expression of keen delight and satisfaction their faces emit. Table Queen Bread is baked in the most up-to-date way and cleanliness is assured.

The man who works hard all day, whether in the office or in the factory, needs a wholesome diet of quality. Table Queen Bread is made fresh every day.

There is a difference in flour, shortening, and many other things that go into the make-up of bread. If a low quality of ingredients are used then it is natural that the quality of the product is also low. That is the reason for Table Queen's wonderful popularity in this section. We use only the very best grade of materials therefore we are marketing a superior product.

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Nederland Special Bread has only been on the market a very short while. Its wonderful flavor and purity have won for it almost unbelievable popularity. It has become the favorite of many housewives of Port Arthur, Nederland and Port Neches. Nederland Special Bread like Table Queen, is made under the most sanitary conditions, and only the best of materials are used in its manufacture. This accounts to a certain degree for its almost overnight popularity. Try it next time. Your Grocer has it.

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...EK NEW TRIAL ON TECHNICALITY

Motion Filed for Woman, Fined $200, 20 Days

Charging that the state failed to elect which of two counts it wished to secure a conviction upon his client and that the absence of the court during the trial was prejudicial to his client's interests, Attorney Vaughn Thursday morning filed motion for a new trial for Mrs. B. B. Dobson on charges of keeping a disorderly house. Judge Robertson in corporation court sustained the motion for a new trial and set aside the jury's verdict in a former trial which found her guilty, fined her $200 and sentenced her to 20 days in jail.

It was the contention of the attorney for the defense that the court should have instructed the state to elect whether it was to try for conviction on the above mentioned charge or on an additional charge of possession of liquor.

In touching on the absence of the court during the time the attorneys were making their closing argument to the jury, defense counsel claimed his client's interests prejudiced while he was powerless to get a hearing on his protests because of the court's absence. A conference will be arranged between the opposing attorneys to set the date for a new trial.

LLOYD GEORGE TO VISIT U. S. MAIN ST.

(Continued From Page 1)

George will go to Ottawa, Toronto, Winnipeg, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Chicago, Springfield, Ills.; Indianapolis, possibly St. Louis and Cleveland, and then to Pittsburg, Washington, and Richmond, Va.

To Visit Battlefields.

From Richmond, he will go on a motor trip over the Virginia battlefields and then to Philadelphia, Gettysburg and New York whence he will make a side trip to Scranton, Pa., before his departure for home.

The former premier, discussing his tour, said to the United Press:

"I desire to make clear that I have only one mission in America, namely, to express my appreciation, as prime minister during the war, for Canada's magnificent services and sacrifices in behalf of the empire. My only other purpose is a trip of self-education with regard to America.

"I am particularly eager to get personally acquainted with your great middlewest. I would like to learn something at first hand of your political system and machinery. I want to meet not only your national leaders, but some of the representative men who dominate politics in the states and counties.

"I desire to visit en route two or three of the smaller 'Main street' towns. I hope to have an opportunity to motor, say, from Springfield, Ill., to which I am attached because of its associations with Lincoln, and Indianapolis for the purpose of viewing a typical farm region.

"I have always been most interested as a student in the American Civil war and hence desire to see your battlefields over which Stonewall Jackson and other brave men fought."

KIMBRO SUES EVANS FOR $100,000 DAMAGES

HOUSTON, August 2.—Alleging that Hiram Wesley Evans, imperial wizard of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, did "wickedly and maliciously" intend to bring him "into public scandal, infamy and disgrace," George B. Kimbro, Jr., former grand goblin of the klan, today filed suit for damages amounting to $100,000 in federal district court here.

—MORE—

HOUSTON PLUMBERS GET $1 A DAY BOOST

HOUSTON, August 2.—Houston plumbers today had received an increase of one dollar a day. Announcement of the new wage scale was made late yesterday by the secretary of plumbers' local No. 68 and was established by mutual agreement of master plumbers and journeymen. The new scale is $11 a day.

FORMER SLAVE, 75, DIES

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Aug. 2.—The Rev. William H. Robinson, who was born a slave but who escaped to the north in early boyhood, later becoming a minister, is dead here at the age of 75. He had lived in Eau Claire 15 years. He was born in Wilmington, N. C., March 11, 1848, and was a slave. He bore on his back to the day of his death deep welts of the lashes given him when he was caught in his first attempt to escape from slavery.

CAT TAKES HER BATH IN THE FAMILY TUB

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 2.—There is a cat in San Francisco that has completely upset tradition. It belongs to Mrs. Renee Vidalie, and was presented to her by Mrs. Henry von Sobbern, wife of the sculptor.

When Mr. or Mrs. Vidalie attempt to take a bath, they have to lock the cat out of the bathroom, for when the tub gets full the cat will jump into it.

Cuba's population is 3,123,000, but Americans drinking there may see twice that many.

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Solitaire, 2627, from Tampa to Texas company.

Western Glen, 3585, from New York to Collin and Butler.

J. M. Guffey, 1593, from Tampico to Gulf company.

Gulfstrade, 4948, from Tampico to Gulf company.

Gulfprince, 4098, from Providence to Gulf company.

Westwego, 3059, to Magnolia company, Beaumont.

Radiant, 1528, from New York to Magnolia company, Beaumont.

Lampo (Italain), 3816, from Italian ports to Magnolia company, Beaumont.

Nubian (Br.), 3816, from Mexico to John E. Jones company, Beaumont.

Quebec City (Br.), 3131, from Port Neches to Port Arthur, John E. Jones company.

W. M. Burton, 5358, from Philadelphia to Texas Co., Due late today.

Shenandoah, 5143, from Port Lobos to Texas company. (Due late today).

Illinois, 5092, from Texas Co., to Providence.

SAILED AUGUST 2.

West Neris, 3483, from Lykes Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent, for South America.

Roanoke, 5165, from Texas' company for Thameshaven and Antwerp.

Lake Florian, 1612, from Lykes Sgitcovich for West Indies.

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Coastwise Docks.

Sucarseco, 2171, Transmarine corporation.

Texas Company Docks.

Solitaire, 2627, Texas company.

Western Glen, 3585, Collin and Butler.

Sabaan, 3709, Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

Jersey City (Br.), 3937, John E Jones company, Ray Morgan, agent.

Quebec City (Br.), 3131, John E. Jones company, Ray Morgan, agent.

Sch. Robert P. Murphy, 572, Texas Company.

W. M. Burton, 5358, Texas Company.

Shenandoah, 5143, Texas Company

Gulf Company Docks.

Gulftrade, 4948, Gulf company.

Gulfprince, 4098, Gulf company.

J. M. Guffey, 1593, Gulf company

Gulfstream, 3202, Gulf company.

Mexican Docks.

Sch. W. J. Patterson, 569, Lutcher-Moore Lumber company. (Laid up).

Ship Basin.

Bark Marion Chilcott, 1510, Chas. Martin company.

AT BEAUMONT

Westwego, 3059, Magnolia company.

Radiant, 1528, Magnolia company

Nubian (Br.), 1067, John E. Jones company.

Lampo (Ital), 3816, Magnolia company.

Sch. Nomis, 389, Gulf Export and Transportation company.

Sch. Alpena, 833, Texas Shipping company.

VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE

Cornish City, due September 10 to John E. Jones company, Ray Morgan, agent.

Sch. Rosalie Bellivean, due last half of September to Texas company.

Lightburne, due August 10 to Texas company.

New Jersey, due August 11 to the Texas Company.

Charles M. Everest, due August 17 to Gulf company.

Albert E. Watts, due August 10 to Texas Company.

Bohemian Club, due August 11 to Texas Company.

Ethan Allen, due September 20 to Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

San Leopoldo, due August 11, to Collin and Butler.

Gulfstate, due August 10, to Gulf company.

Gulfpoint, due August 9, to Gulf company.

W. M. Burton, due August 2, to Texas Company.

Heffron, due August 19 to 26 Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

British Viscount, due August 10 to 11, Chas. Martin company.

Harvester, due August 11 to Texas Company.

Trebartha, due August 19-20, Texas Company.

New York, due August 7 to Texas Company.

Radnor, due August 20-23, Lykes Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

George Pierce, due August 25, Lykes-Sgitcovich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

Sch. Stimson, due August 5 to 8 to Texas Company.

Julius Schindler, due August 12 to 15 to Texas Company.

OBSTRUCTIONS TO NAVIGATION.

The following was issued through the United States hydrographic office:

The following obstructions was reported:

July 27.—Latitude 21 degrees 52 minutes, longitude 74 degrees 19 minutes, passed a section of a wooden barge, awash.—Bobolink (U. S. S.). Report by radio, broadcasted.

July 21.—Latitude 11 degrees 18 minutes longitude 52 degrees 11 minutes, passed a very rusty globular iron buoy with ring bolt in top. Levathan (ss). First Officer Linder.

July 11.—Latitude 15 degrees 4 minutes, longitude 29 degrees 34 minutes, passed a black conical whistling buoy. — Occidental (ss), Pedersen: First Officer McCantley.

July 15.—Latitude 48 degrees 5 minutes, longitude 24 degrees 50 minutes, passed what appeared to be a derelict about 200 feet long with seas breaking over it; too dark to distinguish clearly.—Iinoko (ss). Barbe, Second Officer Frisco.

MARINE MISCELLANY

Western Glen Arrives

The steamship Western Glen arrived today from New York to load a cargo in Port Arthur for delivery at African ports. The vessel is one of a fleet operated by the Mallory Transport line and the Bull Steamship line between gulf ports and south, east and west Africa.

Unknown German Anchors

A German vessel, the name of which is unknown, is anchored outside the bar. There is a German vessel due in Beaumont, and one also is scheduled to arrive in Port Arthur in about two weeks, and it is believed here that the ship lying outside is one of these.

Quebec City Loads Here

The steamship Quebec City shifted down from Port Neches to Port Arthur today, docking at the Texas Company's terminals here to finish loading for Australia.

Dungannon Leaves Hamburg

Advices that their tank steamship Dungannon sailed from Hamburg for Mexico on July 27 have been received by Texas Company officials here.

Roanoke Weighs for Europe

The tank steamship Roanoke sailed from the Texas Company here today with a cargo of refined oils for England and Holland ports.

Two Steamers Due

Two steamers, the W. M. Burton and the Shenandoah, are scheduled to arrive at the Texas Company terminals here late today.

Shipping Board Placements

The United States shipping board, division of operations, Wednesday announced the following placements:

P. A. Larche of Galveston, ex-chief engineer on the Llenas, as chief engineer on the Lavaca; J. A. Cross, of Italy, Texas, ex-able seaman on the West Segovia, as third mate on the Lavada; J. L. McIver, of Galveston, ex-first assistant on the Conuespeak, as first assistant on the Lavada; P. Dillenhoffer, of New Orleans, La., ex-chief engineer on the West Wauna, as second-assistant on the West Wauna; H. B. Smith, of Messie, Va., ex-third assistant on the West aWupa, as second assistant on the West Wauna; G. L. Kottes, of New York, ex-first assistant on the Higho, as first assistant on the Casey; J. J. Kolderup, of Galveston, ex-third mate on the Casey, as second mate on the Casey; E. C. Wheeler, of Marineys Harbor, N. Y., ex-chief mate on the Janelew, as master on the Janelew; E. Goriup, of New Orleans, La., ex-first assistant on the West Ivis, as first assistant on the Aquarius.

BAROMETER READING

The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the office of the U. S. weather bureau, in Port Arthur, Texas, on Thursday, August 2, at 7 a. m. was 29.92 inches. This closely approximates 760.0 millimeters.

AUTO SPEEDWAY RACES DEFERRED

Salt To Be Used to Keep Down Dust

Races which were to have been held at the East Texas Speedway this week-end, have been postponed until August 12, acording to announcements made here this morning by Manager L. A. Hoskins of the racing track.

Due to certain renovations the tracks are now undergoing, Mr. Hoskins let it be known, the races will be held up pending their completion.

The track management recently ordered eight tons of salt, which will be harrowed into the track and packed hard with a weighty roller, this having been set upon by the track promoters as a scheme to keep down the dust so prevalent during recent races.

A high board fence will be erected along the Port Arthur highway to Beaumont, it was declared by Manager Hoskins, and will probably be up by the time the next races are held. Lumber for this work is already on the grounds.

TEXAS COTTON IS IN PERIL, CLAIMS

500,000 Bale Shrinkage From Dry Weather, Report

DALLAS, Aug. 2.—The Texas cotton crop will do well to make 4,000,000 actual gin bales no matter how late the fall or how much rain falls, according to N. T. Blackwell, editor of the Cotton and Cotton Oil News who has just returned from a 800-mile automobile trip through south Texas.

"The entire state is in the grip of a most distressing drouth with the exception of a few localities," Blakwell said.

In Blackwell's opinion the state has lost 500,000 bales of cotton in the last two weeks.

CALICO TRIMMINGS

Red calico with small figures in yellow and black makes very swagger collar, cuffs, and vests for a blue serge suit with a pleated skirt and bolero jacket.

Pear Ridge Church Program Tonight

The program for the prayer meeting service at the Pear Ridge Community church this evening at 7:30 o'clock follows:

Subject: "What Christ Does for the Christian."

Scripture lesson: John XV 1-8, 14-16.

Song: "Take My Life and Let It Be."

Song: "I Gave My Life for Thee."

Introductory remarks by leader.

Prayer: Mr. Palmer.

Talk: "Communication," — Mrs. Davidson.

Talk: "Cultivation"—Mrs. Storm.

Talk: "Meditation,"—Mrs. Bolyard.

Song: Mr. and Mrs. Palmer and Mr. Simmons.

Talk: "Elevation"—Mr. Palmer.

Song: "Bless Be the Tie."

Benediction.

CLOSE HOUSES FOR ONE YEAR

Pro Forces Clamp Lid Where Convictions Are Made

Weight of federal court injunctions against tenants and property owners in Port Arthur today are added to the lid prohibition forces are seeking to clamp on the liquor traffic in this city.

Owners of 10 houses here in which liquor has been found by dry sleuths received notices today from Deputy U. S. Marshal John Abernathy that Judge W. Lee Estes, of federal court, is petitioned to issue injunctions restraining them from renting the property for one year, and tenants in the houses received notices that a federal court restraining order prohibiting them from occupying the premises for 12 months also is sought, according to the marshal.

Names of the owners and tenants of the properties involved in the injunction petitions to be filed before Judge Estes were not divulged by Officer Abernathy. Petitions for the injunctions against the property owners and renters were filed by S. D. Gordon, U. S. district attorney, the officer said.

AUTOMOBILIST RUNS OVER NEYLAND BOY

GREENVILLE, Texas, Aug. 2.—Robert Greenhalgh, young son of Neyland, near Greenville, sustained a very painful and possibly dangerous injury last night at the home of his parents. The boy was seated on the rear fender of his father's car and when Mr. Greenhalgh attempted to back the car the sudden movement threw the boy under the rear wheel of the automobile and his leg was badly crushed between the hip and knee.

CHILD IS SERIOUSLY HURT BY AUTOMOBILE

TAHOKA, Texas, Aug. 2.—Friday afternoon the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, living 11 miles east of Tahoka, while crossing the street was knocked down by a coupe driven by a woman. A back wheel passed over the child's body. No bones were broken but she suffered internal injuries which may prove fatal.

CONFESS OWN SINS--MINTER

Pay Attention to Other Fellow's Afterwards, He Says

The personal responsibility of men regarding sin formed the theme of the revival sermon preached Wednesday night by Rev. K. C. Minter, of Silsbee, who is conducting a series of meetings on the roof of the First M. E. church, South, at the corner of Nashville avenue and Fifth street.

"Thrice blessed is he who is able to take his eyes off the sins of his fellowmen and see himself as God sees him," Rev. Minter said, stressing the point in his text, 'if we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness,' taken from John, the firt chapter and ninth verse.

"Multitudes everywhere are trying to confess everybody else's sins but their own," the evangelist said. "It is our own sins we are called upon to confess. The sins of the other fellow are his, not yours.

Speaking of attacks made upon the church because of "weak, inconsistent members," Rev. Minter said the real reason for this criticism is because the critics know they should become church members, but because of sins which they are clinging to, unwilling to give up, they are picking flaws in an effort to justify themselves.

"Confession simply means bringing your sins to Christ in faith, and God is faithful and just to forgive and cleanse. Anyone rebelliously unsaved may, by confessing their sins and bringing them to Christ, become a child of God," Rev. Minter declared.

LABOR ASKS DIRT FARM GOVERNOR

McKinley Tells Farmers Texas Labor Will Back Him

CARROLLTON, Texas, Aug. 2.—A "dirt farmer" for the next governor of Texas was urged in an address here yesterday by Robert McKinley, secretary of the state federation of laborf before the district farm labor union picnic.

"We want you to select some one of your straw hat brigade and we'll get behind him to help send him to Austin to fill the governor's chair" said McKinley. "He couldn't make any bigger mess than some of those who have been there.

Representatives of the farm union and labor unions were present from Dallas, Denton and Collin counties.

Nearly every movie star is trying marriage again.

Oshkosh, Wis., man raises about a million frogs a year; not, however, to get the hops.

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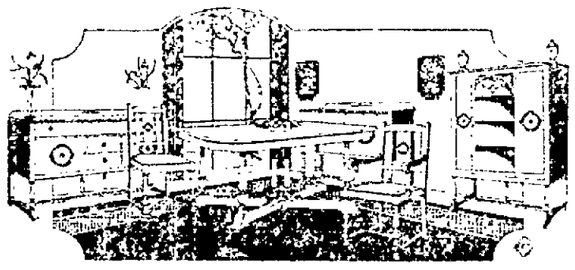

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OH, FOR HAWAII, IF THEY'RE ALL LIKE MARIECHEN AND LITTLE LILLIE!

HONOLULU, Aug. 2.—These hula-hula dancers have to go some now to keep up with the girl swimmers on the beach at Waikiki.

Folks used to sing about the merry dancing ladies. Now they chant the praises of the gay mermaids.

And well they may;

Two fair damsels of the water have just caused a small championship tidal wave.

Mariechen Wehselau, Hawaiian Island champion, still in her early teens, did the 100-yard event in 1:03. That, say the wise ones around here, is the fastest clip ever made by any woman in the world.

Fanny Burack's record stood for many years at 1:08 and 1:10. Three years ago Ethelda Bleibtrey was joyfully doing 1:05.1.

Little Lillie Bowmer, just out of grammar school, was an uncomfortably close second for Miss Wehselau.

George "Dad" Center, coach at the Outrigger Canoe Club, who has taken both maidens under his wing, is dead sure Lillie will be grabbing off the title some of these days.

"Mariechen was just a little freckled-faced, stub-nosed kid when I first saw her," says "Dad" reminiscently.

In 1920, just before he sailed for the Olympic games and Mariechen had grown up a bit, he enthusiastically said:

"If I can teach her to kick, she'll be a champion."

"Squeaky," is what "Dad" calls her. He loves to watch her all "riled up." She's a poor loser, Center adds.

"Why, I've seen that kid weep great buckets of salt tears," he says. "Not because she lost the race, but because it wasnt considered quite ladylike to vent her vengeance on the victor. She's the true fighting-made type. But she'll stick."

Lillie is different, according to "Dad." She would rather die [illegible] her disappointment.

So you see these Hawaiian lasses are just as temperamental—maybe [illegible] so—than their sisters back in the states.

But boy, how they can swim!

Here the water sports are practically sexless. What a boy can do, [illegible] it surf-riding, catamoran sailing or endurance swimming—his young [illegible] tackles, too.

Texas Company Squad Cuts Good Gulf Standing Down a Notch

Series of Squabbles Feature Clash When Texacos Win 9 to 7

Skipper Davis Protests Game in Seventh Stanza When Baserunner is Called Out at Home Plate; Errors, Hits Dished Out Galore.

By BILL ARCHER

AMIDST a series of squabbles, shortcomings, errors, wild pitches and bingles, the Texaco Stars took the Gulfie contingent down a whole notch yesterday afternoon on Lakeshore Diamond, 9 to 7, while several hundred fans looked on, far into the dusk of the evening.

There were many arguments during the melee; arguments that arose over questionable plays—and decisions that opposing sides challenged with a spirit never before in evidence on Lakeshore. In fact, and in short, the old sand lot fairly sizzled yesterday of King Wrangle, who reigned supreme to the disgust of many who came to see a ball game. The clash was played under protest.

Otherwise, there were brilliant flashes at times and sensational playing on the part of both contingents that made the contest worth while. Rusty Davis executed several one-hand stabs on the second base line, and knocked down one apparently impossible line drive just a few feet from First Sacker Wagner's station; Outfielder Corley made a sensational running catch of a Texas Leaguer that should have been a hit in any game, robbing the batsman; Johnson played an airtight game at the initial bag for the Texacos, and vied with Dan Wagner for honors, both accepting eight chances without a miff; Fuller made a pair of running catches in right for the Gulfies that placed a halo over his head—all those flashes made the game savor of the bigger diamond.

Play by play:

First Inning

Texas: The Texacos lost the toss and took the first bat in the opening round. Palmer led off and drew down an out at the initial bag. Olivier to Wagner. Corley and Romero whiffed the breezes. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Gulf: Trauth opened the fireworks for the Gulfies with an out at first, Priester to Johnson. Duty drove a fly to first, and Johnson sacked him out. Cert Smith struck at three of 'em. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second Inning

Texas: Johnson singled. Hase drew an out at first, Duty to Wagner. Johnson was out attempting to steal second, Cadenhead to Davis. Priester doubled and stole home when Earhart singled. Kring went to first when Duty fumbled a drive to his division, and Earhart scored. Lauve was out at first, Davis to Wagner. Two runs, three hits, one error.

Gulf: Culver went safe at first when Romero dropped a liner. Fuller flew out to Corley, the latter making a pretty running catch of the Texas Leaguer. Davis went on when Kring threw a wild one that struck the batsman on the knee; Darden was permitted to run for Davis. Wagner hit into a double play, forcing Darden at second, Romero unassisted to Johnson. No runs, no hits, one error.

Third Inning

Texas: Palmer went out at first, Davis to Wagner; Corley chose the same path. Olivier dished out a base on balls to Romero. Johnson retired the side with a high foul-fly over the first base line, which Wagner sacked. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Gulf: Cadenhead singled. Olivier singled. Cadenhead scored when Lauve muffed the drive. Trauth was dished a base on balls. Duty singled, scoring Olivier, and Trauth followed him across the bag when Chubby Earhart muffed one thrown right in his hands. An error at the hands of Romero sent Smith safe at first. Culver hit a fielder's choice, filling the bases. Fuller struck out. Davis hit a fly in the second-base division, which Romero sacked. Wagner went out at first, Romero to Johnson. Three runs, three hits, three errors.

Fourth Inning

Texas: Hase struck out. Priester followed suit. Earhart singled. Kring was hit with a pitched ball, and Corley substituted as his runner. Earhart and Corley scored when Olivier overthrew home base. Lauve singled. Palmer drove out a fielder's choice, Lauve going out at second, Davis to Duty. Two runs, two hits, no errors.

Gulf: Cadenhead drew an out at first on a short drive to Kring. Olivier singled. Trauth singled. Duty swated a fielder's choice and Trauth was clipped off at second, Duty to Davis. Smith flew out to Corley. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Fifth Inning

Texas: Corley went safe at first when Duty muffed a drive. Romero struck out. Johnson singled, scoring Corley, who had gone to second when Duty let a ball go through him from Cadenhead's hands. Hase hit into a fielder's choice, Johnson being caught at second, Olivier to Davis. Priester struck out. One run, one hit, two errors.

Gulf: Culver went out at first, Palmer to Johnson. Fuller singled, and was caught out at third, Kring to Palmer, when Davis cracked out a fielder's choice. Wagner retired the Gulfies with a fly to Priester. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Sixth Inning

Texas: Earhart was out at the opening station, Culver to Wagner. Kring drove a high fly to right, which Fuller sacked on a neat run. Lauve flew out to Culver. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Gulf: Cadenhead drove a pop fly to first for an out. Olivier lined out to first. Trauth singled and went to second when Kring balked. Duty being permitted to take first base, Smith flew out to center, Corley stabbing the drive.

Seventh Inning

Texas: Palmer flew out to Fuller, Corley singled. Romero went safe at first when Fuller dropped one. Johnson was issued a pass, Hase struck out. Corley and Romero scored when Cadenhead let one pass him up. Priester was issued a base on balls. Earhart singled, scoring Romero. Priester came home when Duty muffed a drive from Kring's bat. Lauve ended the slaughter with a liner to first. Four runs, two hits, three errors.

Gulf: Culver singled. Fuller doubled. Davis singled, scoring Culver. Wagner was dished out a base on balls. Cadenhead singled, Fuller being caught out at home when Lauve recovered the ball. Olivier struck out. Trauth singled, scoring Davis, who had gone safe at third when Palmer dropped a thrown ball, and Wagner. Trauth was caught in a run down, Corley to Priester to Earhart. Four runs, five hits, one error.

FIGHT RETURNS

Texas.

Player—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Palmer, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	1
xCorley, cf	5	2	1	3	1	0
Romero, 2b	3	1	0	3	2	2
Johnson, 1b	3	1	2	8	0	0
Hase, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Priester, ss	3	2	1	1	3	0
Earhart, c	4	2	3	5	0	1
Kring, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Lauve, rf	4	0	1	0	1	1
Totals	33	9	8	21	10	5

Gulf.

Player—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Trauth, cf	4	1	3	0	0	0
Duty, ss	3	0	1	1	1	4
Smith, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Culver, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Fuller, rf	4	0	2	2	0	1
Davis, 2b	3	1	1	2	1	0
Wagner, 1b	3	1	0	8	0	0
Cadenhead, c	4	2	2	7	1	1
Olivier, p	4	1	2	0	2	0
xxDarden	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	7	12	21	9	6

xRan for Kring in 4th.
xxRan for Davis in 2nd.

Score by innings:

Texas	020 210 4—9
Gulf	000 000 4—7

Summary: Earned runs, Texas 3, Gulf 1. Stolen bases, Hase, Priester, Fuller, Davis, Olivier; two-base hits, Priester, Fuller; first on balls off Olivier 3, off Kring 2, struck out, by Olivier 7, by Kring 3; left on bases, by Texas 5, by Gulf 9; double play, Romero to Johnson; wild pitch, Olivier 2. Kring. Umpires, Corley, Romero. Kring 2, Smith, Culver hit by pitched ball, Kring. Davis. Time of game, 1:30; umpires, Cole and Jordan.

SPORT CARD

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Texas League.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Fort Worth	61	42	.592
Dallas	55	47	.544
Wichita Falls	55	48	.534
San Antonio	53	51	.523
Galveston	52	49	.515
Houston	48	58	.453
Beaumont	47	57	.452
Shreveport	38	64	.372

American League.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	65	31	.677
Cleveland	54	45	.545
St. Louis	51	44	.537
Detroit	45	46	.495
Chicago	46	49	.484
Philadelphia	42	53	.442
Washington	41	52	.441
Boston	35	59	.372

National League.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New Work	63	35	.643
Pittsburg	59	37	.615
Cincinnati	50	38	.612
Chicago	51	47	.520
Brooklyn	49	48	.505
St. Louis	51	50	.505
Philadelphia	31	66	.320
Boston	27	69	.281

Southern Association.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New Orleans	61	35	.635
Mobile	56	39	.589
Nashville	51	47	.511
Atlanta	50	50	.500
Memphis	48	50	.490
Birmingham	45	51	.469
Chattanooga	41	58	.414
Little Rock	37	59	.385

Western League.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Wichita	61	38	.628
Tulsa	67	46	.619
Oklahoma City	60	45	.571
Des Moines	56	49	.533
Omaha	54	51	.514
St. Joseph	42	53	.420
Sioux City	35	62	.376
Denver	29	67	.348

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Texas League.

At Fort Worth 1, Beaumont 3, (10 innings).
At Dallas 8, Houston 4.
At Wichita Falls 7, Galveston 5.
At Shreveport 7, San Antonio 9.

American League.

At Philadelphia 0-3, St. Louis 2-8.
At Boston 2-7, Chicago 4-3.
At New York 3, Cleveland 5.
At Washington-Detroit, wet grounds.

National League.

At St. Louis 11-7, Brooklyn 10-6.
At Chicago 8, Boston 2.
At Cincinnati 5, Boston 3.
At Pittsburg 2, New York 1.

Southern Association.

At Little Rock 0, Atlanta 3.
At Memphis 1, Birmingham 1.
At Chattanooga 4, Mobile 5.
At Nashville 6, New Orleans 0.

Western League.

At Oklahoma City 7, Denver 6-4.
At St. Joseph 2, Des Moines 10.
At Wichita 5, Sioux City 8.
At Tulsa 6, Omaha 2.

American Association.

At Toledo 1-11, Minneapolis 6-3.
At Columbus 4, St. Paul 12.
At Louisville 3, Kansas City 2.
At Indianapolis 4, Milwaukee 5 (12 innings).

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Texas League.

Beaumont at Fort Worth.
Houston at Dallas.
San Antonio at Shreveport.
Galveston at Wichita Falls—off day.

American League.

St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Boston.
Cleveland at New York.
Detroit at Washington.

National League.

Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburg.

Southern Association.

Atlanta at Little Rock.
Birmingham at Memphis.
Mobile at Chattanooga.
New Orleans at Nashville.

TIE FOR 5TH PLACE

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 2 — St. Louis went into a tie with Brooklyn for fifth place by capturing a double-header from the Dodgers here. After winning the first part of the twin bill, 11 to 10, the Cardinals were forced to travel 11 innings before annexing the nightcap, 7 to 6.

First Game

By innings:

Brooklyn	111 102 004—10 13 2
St. Louis	000 081 002—11 13 1

G. Smith, Deatur, Dickerman, Grimes, and Taylor; Stuart, Sherdel and McCurdy.

Second Game

By innings:

Brooklyn	011 200 002 000 00—6 12 0
St. Louis	000 010 001 000 01—7 11 3

Reuther, Dickerman and Deberry; Doak, Bartosz and Ainsmith, McCurdy.

O'NEIL IN FORM

SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 2. — O'Neil's airtight pitching, coupled with home runs in the second and third innings by Wight and Simmons, a Gasser scoring ahead each time, won the game for the locals by the score of 7 to 0.

Score by innings:

San Antonio	000 000 000—0 4 0
Shreveport	022 000 30x—7 9 2

Lucas and Schulte; O'Neil and J. Barns.

BUNCH HITS ON HEAD

CINCINNATI, Aug. 2.—Cincinnati bunched hits on Ralph Head in two innings and defeated Philadelphia 5 to 3. Two lightning double plays cut off the threat of the Phillies in the last two innings.

By innings:

Philadelphia	000 102 000—3 11 2
Cinnanati	200 100 20x—5 10 0

Head and Wilson; Benton, Luque and Hargrave.

FRENCH TEAM WINS

DEAUVILLE, France, Aug. 2. — The French Davis cup team won the final round of the European eliminations yesterday from Spain and will go to America to meet the winner of the Japanese Australian match.

STILL BEHIND

NEW YORK, Aug 2.—Chasing Harry Heilman, Detroit star, for the American League batting championship, Babe Ruth was only one point behind Heilman today with .390. Heilman's average is .391.

YESTERDAY'S HOMERS

Ruth, Yanks, 1	25
Miller, Cubs, 1	14
Statz, Cubs, 1	8
Wheat, Robins, 1	7
Lutzke, Indians, 1	3
Alexander, Cubs, 1	1

LEADERS

Cy Williams, Phils	27
Ruth, Yanks,	25
Ken Williams, Browns,	18
Miller, Cubs	14

BAILEY LOSES GAME TO CATS

Hectic Pitching Battle Ends 4 to 3

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 2.—Abe Bailey fought Lil Stoner a hectic pitching duel yesterday, going down in the last of the tenth inning, 4 to 3 as the result of a walk to Kraft, an infield out and a sharp, low liner from Haworth's bat that got through George Jackson at first. Jackson was playing first as the result of Huber being chased from the game by Umpire Sweeney in the last half of the ninth.

The score:

Beaumont—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
DeMaggio, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Turgeon, ss	5	1	2	3	2	0
Allen, cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Kitcham, rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Black, 2b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Strong, 1b-2b	2	1	0	10	0	1
Huber, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Jackson, 1b	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kitchens, c	4	0	2	7	0	1
Bailey, p	3	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	37	3	8	28	10	2

Score by innings:

Beaumont	100 011 000 0—3
Fort Worth	002 001 000 1—4

Summary: Sacrifice hit, Bailey; two-base hits, Hoffman, Rapp, Turgeon, Kitchens, Haworth; home runs, Allen, Calvo; double plays, Turgeon to Black to Strong, Bailey to Turgeon to Strong; struck out, by Stoner 5, by Bailey 3; bases on balls, off Bailey 4, off Stoner 2; time, 2:05; umpires, Sweeney and Daly.

WALTER, JOHN LEFT TO PLAY

Advance to Semi-Finals in Chicago

CHICAGO, August 2.—Walter Westbrook, Detroit, and John Hennessy, Indianapolis, advanced to the semi-finals of the western tennis tournament today by winning fifth round matches.

Walter Hayes, Chicago, the veteran who is making his third bid for the western title, came through to the semi-finals when he overthrew Axel Gravem, Cal., former Oxford champion.

George Leott, Chicago, was leading in the third set with Al Green after each had won one set when rain postponed the match.

The semi-finals will be played tomorrow and Saturday.

Westbrook will draw Haynes, Chicago and the winner will meet the winner of the Leott-Green match.

INDIANS COP OPENER

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Cleveland took the first of a four-game series from the New York Yankees, 5 to 3. Ruth hit his 25th home run of the season in the ninth with Witt on base.

Score by innings:

Cleveland	400 000 010—5 8 1
New York	000 100 002—3 10 1

Smith and O'Neill; Pennock, Bush and Hoffman.

LOVE'S HOMER ENDS TILT

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 2.—Love's home run in the eighth inning decided the game which Dallas won from Houston, 8 to 4.

Score by innings:

Houston	000 000 310—4 8 2
Dallas	000 010 34x—8 13 1

Sell and Vik; Ryan, Love and Lingle.

SHADE BEATS DOYLE

NEW YORK, Aug. 2. — Dave Shade, formally recognized by the New York Boxing commission as the welterweight champion, won an easy 10-round decision from Paul Doyle, New York contender for the title.

Proper time to change seats in a canoe is before you get in.

Who remembers last winter when the ice man was a total stranger?

Promoters Still Wrangle Over Real Opponent for Heavyweight Champion

By HENRY L. FARRELL

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—All varieties of argument are being hurled from rival corners on the pugilistic debate of the day—"Who is the Logical Opponent for Jack Dempsey?"

With the boxing commission intimating unofficially that Luis Angel Firpo is big enough and good enough to fight for the championship and with Tex Rickard proceeding with his plans to put the South American in the ring with Dempsey on September 14, it seems that the breaks, if not the heavy logic, are with the Angel.

The partisans of Harry Wills are adding threats to their arguments and some neutrals are swinging over to the opinion that no one will fight Dempsey if the rival promoters do not quit fighting.

Tex Rickard, who signed Dempsey and Firpo, said today he would have selected Harry Wills as the opponent for the champion if he had thought it would be a better card.

"It's my business to arrange a match that would be attractive to the public and it is my opinion that the public has more curiosity in Firpo than in Wills.

"The judgment of our club in making this match has already been vindicated by the orders for tickets. Because we believe that it is a good card and that the officials have no ground for interference we are going right along and getting ready for the match," Rickard said.

Red tape of the commission rules makes it necessary for the promofers to come forward with the signatures of Dempsey and Wills on paper before the commission will consider granting a license.

Dempsey will not sign articles to fight Wills until it has been assured that the fight can be staged and the commission will not give that assurance until Dempsey has been signed by a promoter.

Since Rickard has signed both Dempsey and Firpo it seems that nothing but politics could interfere with the fight and if political influence becomes too strong Dempsey will not be allowed to fight anyone in New York.

ST. LOUIS TAKES TWO

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 2. — St. Louis took another double-header from Philadelphia, winning the first 2 to 0 and the second 8 to 3. The Athletics have now lost 10 games in a row and have dropped to sixth place.

The first game was protested by Manager Mack following the banishment of Pitcher Danforth of St. Louis, who was alleged to have been discoloring the ball. Danforth held the locals to two hits up to the ninth when he was removed.

First Game

By innings:

St. Louis	000 000 110—2 10 1
Philadelphia	000 000 000—0 2 0

Danforth, Shocker and Severeid;

Second Game

By innings:

St. Louis	001 010 003—8 12 1
Philadelphia	200 100 000—3 10 2

Kolp and Severeid; Heimach, Rommell and Perkins.

CHICAGO BEATS BOSTON

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Great pitching and hitting by Grover Alexander enabled Chicago to defeat Boston 8 to 2. Alexander's home run, his first in two years, sent two runners in front of him in the fourth and put the locals out in front.

Score by innings:

Boston	200 000 000—2 8 0
Chicago	000 411 02x—8 15 1

Genewich, Fillingim and E. Smith; Alexander and O'Farrell, Hartnett.

City Schedule

How They Stand

Team—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Gulf	15	8	.652
Texas	13	8	.591
City	12	11	.522
Island	5	18	.217

Games This Week.

August 2 (Thursday)—Texas vs. Island.

August 3 (Friday)—Gulf vs. City.

PIRATES EVEN COUNT

PITTSBURG, Aug. 2. — Pittsburg evened the count of a five-game series with New York by winning the fourth game 2 to 1.

By innings:

New York	100 000 000—1 5 0
Pittsburg	000 002 00x—2 4 1

Bentley, Jonnard and Gowdy; Cooper and Schmidt.

SPLIT DOUBLE SHOW

BOSTON, Aug. 2—Chicago defeated Boston 4 to 2 in 11 innings and then the home team won the second game of the double-header, 7 to 3. Robertson held Boston to 6 hits in the first game and Chicago scored two runs in the 11th inning with the help of a hit.

First Game

By innings:

Boston	001 100 000 00—2 6 1
Chicago	001 001 000 02—4 9 0

Robertson and Schalk; Piercy and Devormer.

Second Game

By inning:

Chicago	000 010 110—3 8 3
Boston	401 020 00x—7 12 1

Thurston and Graham, Krouse; Ferguson and Walter.

SPUDDERS WIN

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Aug. 2.—The Spudders evened the series with the Sand Crabs by taking the last game by a score of 7 to 5. An eighth inning rally which sent Deviney to the showers and scored four runs off Kiefer gave the Spudders the game. Dyer was knocked out of the box in the third. Carlson who succeeded him allowed but two hits. Witry and Bischoff, both catchers, hit homers in their first time at bat.

By innings:

Galveston	023 000 000—5 9 2
Wichita Falls	002 610 04x—7 13 0

Deviney, Kiefer and Witry; Dyer, Carlson and Bischoff.

SWIMS 7 HOURS IN ERIE ALONE

Carbis Walker Spans Lake In 21 Hours

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 2. — Carbis Walker, long distance swimmer, completed his swim across Lake Erie from Point Pelee, Ontario, to Lorain, Ohio, a distance of 33 miles in 21 hours and 15 minutes.

He started at 9:15 a. m. Wednesday morning reaching Lorain at 5:30 a. m. Thursday.

When Walker dragged himself ashore it was learned the gasoline launch Argus, which was to have followed him in his perilous undertaking, has been mysteriously missing since 2:30 p. m. yesterday. The craft, 20 feet long, was experiencing engine trouble before it left Put-in-Bay at that hour, after reporting on Walker's start from Point Pelee, Ontario.

It carried six men: Commodore C. B. Solders of Cleveland; M. F. Ranney and G. Dwithich, reporters; Dr. Lauthers J. Gray and two others.

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Unpublished Stories

By

O. HENRY

Newly uncovered writings of O Henry, while a member of the Houston Post and associate of former lieutenant Hobby. Copyrighted by The Houston Post and published through arrangement with the Wheeler syndicate.

A VILLAINOUS TRICK

When it becomes necessary for an actor to write a letter during the performance of a play, it is a custom to read the words aloud as he writes them. It is necessary to do this in order that the audience may be apprised of its contents, otherwise the clearness of the plot might be obscured. The writing of a letter upon the stage, therefore, generally has an important bearing upon the situation being presented, and of course the writer is forced to read aloud what he writes for the benefit of the audience.

During the production of "Monbars" in Houston some days ago, the gentleman who assumed the character of the heavy villain took advantage of a situation of this description in a most cowardly manner.

In the last act, Mantell, as Monbars, writes a letter of vital importance, and, as customary, read the lines aloud as he wrote them. The villain hides behind the curtains of a couch and listens in fiendish glee to the contents of the letter as imparted by Mr. Mantell in strict confidence to the audience. He then uses the information obtained in this underhanded manner to further his own devilish designs.

Mr. Montell ought not to allow this. A man who is a member of his own company, and who, no doubt is drawing a good salary, should be above taking a mean advantage of a mere stage technicality.

THE DIFFERENCE

When Cynthia smiles and all is fair
Her liquid laughter woos the air,
Her cheek so round,
Her chin so smooth,
End in a dimple made by love.

When Cynthia frowns and all is drear
Her scolding splits the atmosphere,
Her jaw so strong,
And chin, though small,
Appear to have no end at all.

HER RUSE

"How do I keep John home nights?" asked a Houston lady of a friend the other day.

"Well, I struck a plan once by sudden inspiration, and it worked very nicely. John had been in the habit of going down town every night after supper and staying until ten or eleven o'clock. One night he left as usual, and after going three or four blocks he found he had forgotten his umbrella and came back for it.

"I was in the sitting room reading, and he slipped in the room on his tiptoes and came up behind me and put his hands over my eyes. John expected me to be very much startled, I suppose, but I only said softly: 'Is that you, Tom?'

"John hasn't been down town at night since."

YOU AND I

TOURISTS

Despite the lure of booze, only 130,000 Americans traveled across the Atlantic ocean to Europe during the first six months of this year. Compared with the corresponding period of 1922, it was a loss of nearly 59,000 passengers.

Twelve new trans-Atlantic liners have been placed in service this year. The falling off in passenger business makes competition keen, which intensifies the desire to serve liquor on the eastbound trip. Steamship companies want the liquor only as a lure for passenger business. The liquor is secondary to profits.

WINE

France checks up and finds that last year she produced 50 per cent more wine than in 1913. Using the same years for comparison, the export of French wines decreased 65 per cent in value, despite increase in prices.

And the excess is not all being stored, by any means. The French ministry of agriculture issues a proclamation "viewing with alarm the increased use of alcoholic drinks among the French.

Europe has its own prohibition problem without worrying about ours.

FLAG

Foreign ships are capturing American trade. In April latest month for which figures have been compiled only 31 per cent of our total foreign trade was carried in American ships against 43 per cent in the entire year 1920.

This summarizes the merchant marine situation to date. Propaganda doesn't always get the desired results.

FIRE

A fire breaks out in some American home every four minutes reports W. E. Mallalieu general manager of National Board of Fire Underwriters. He claims three out of four of these fires are preventable, that they result from carelessness or ignorance of dangerous conditions.

Fire destroys 65 million dollars worth of homes a year. And 15,000 lives a year are lost in fires. To make safe, all of us — in handling fire or combustible material — should constantly be a little more careful than these necessary, to give ordinary example of protection.

WHO WOULDN'T BE SICK?

All the returns are in in Minnesota. This is the way the people voted: Magnus Johnson, farmer-laborer, 290,165; Yacob Preus, republican, 195,319; James A. Carley, democrat, 19,859. Johnson's majority of all votes cast was 74,992. Preus carried only ten counties; Johnson carried seventy-seven and not a single county rolled up a plurality for Carley, the democrat.

President Harding was a calm man and the head of a calm administration while on his way to Alaska. This Minnesota blow-up happened while he was on Alaskan soil. Now he is sick in California and his California speech-making program has suspended. And so it goes with man on the crest of the wave one day and thrown on the breakers the next.

President Harding is not responsible for seventy-cent wheat. He is not responsible for the huge war debt. He is not responsible for the slump that came to wheat and hogs. He is not responsible for the wild men who are running about the country stirring up strife or planting the seeds of political revolution.

He is a victim of circumstance. He journeyed from Washington across the west telling the people of the glories of the republican party, the beneficent acts of the republican administration, the laws which had been enacted to make the farmer richer than he had ever been before, the wage earner freer and better paid than he had ever been before, the merchant too busy to count his golden gains and the manufacturer harvesting the wealth of the world.

Then something happened, and it happened when wheat hit the earth and the very next day after it had hit the earth the hog established a new low price record on the Chicago market.

This was an awful jolt for a calm man and his calm administration. All his pretty figures of speech vanished; all his glittering generalities faded away. Who wouldn't be sick?

WORKING THEIR WAY OUT

George M. Reynolds, a noted Chicago banker, has returned from Europe, where he was a delegate to the International Chamber of Commerce meeting at Rome. He found the economic situation of the individual over there better than a year ago but government conditions have not improved.

Banker Reynolds is quite positive that Americans can not help Europe out at present, that Europe must go ahead and work out her own problems while the American people must work out their own problems over here.

Banker Reynolds must be a near brother to Henry Cabot Lodge, who in speaking of Europe in 1918 remarked, "Let them stew in their own juice." This may be all right for a banker but the people of Europe purchased a million bales more cotton in 1922 than they did in 1923. There is a vast surplus of American wheat. There is no foreign demand for it. They can not eat more wheat over there until they make more money over there.

Prosperity will come to America when there is an active foreign demand for the surplus products of America, and this happy condition will not develop itself until the foreigners have the money to pay. A League of Nations, with America as the leading partner, would have forced a settlement of the reparations question long ago and prosperity will not come to Europe while this issue remains unsettled.

In the long run, the workers of Europe will dig their way out as the workers of all the ages worked out their own salvation. Russia will feed itself and have wheat for export this year. Famine has been driven from all European countries. Day by day the economic condition of the individual is growing better. This is running true to form and true to history.

JOHN BULL FIXES THE PRICE

A republican congress turned down Henry Ford's appeal to take over Muscle Shoals and manufacture cheap nitrate for the American farmer for a hundred years. Of course, reading people know that the United States is the largest user of nitrate and yet Great Britain, which is not a manufacturer of nitrate, has a strong advantage over this country.

Chili is the largest producer of nitrate, control of prices for Chilian nitrate practically rest with a London committee made up of representatives of the British nitrate houses and the United States which buys half of the nitrate exported from Chili hasn't a voice and is left without any say as to the price.

Have the American farmers a grievance? Go ask the southern cotton grower who is compelled to buy fertilizer and is compelled to pay all the traffic will bear. Henry Ford had a huge program of development for Muscle Shoals. He had the money to make that program a success but the political managers of the administration turned him down. This is one of the reasons why the party collar rests lightly on the American farmer this year. He knows what happened to the Muscle Shoals proposal and he also knows that Europe, which does not produce nitrate, fixes the price on the supply this country received from Chili where the vast nitrate beds of the world are in operation.

Business is business. Ford wanted to put Muscle Shoals over and the politicians wouldn't let him. Now who were behind the politicians?

SMALL TOWN PEOPLE.

Seneca Falls is a very small town and yet a very historic one in the state of New York. John D. Rockefeller and Henry Ford were not born in the heart of Seneca Falls but nearby and Elihu Root, Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Lucrecia Mott first saw the light of day in the vicinity of the Falls

It goes without saying that the two billionaires of America made their get away from the Falls in early youth. This may have had something to do with their subsequent careers as business geniuses and fortune builders.

Isn't it queer that there isn't a man in America with the nerve to boom John D. Rockefeller as a candidate for the republican nomination for president? Why this discrimination?

Here is a nut for some economist to crack. Increase in the retail food price level from June 15, 1922 to June 15, 1923, averaged three per cent, while in the same period market prices registered a decline of two per cent. Potatoes advanced 19 per cent in June. California had a vast reserve stock that remained unsold. Meats advanced and yet here came a slump in hog prices and the porker hit the bottom. Price of cabbage decreased twenty-three per cent but cabbage is neither bread nor meat.

Fourteen thousand employes of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey have purchased more than $14,500,000 of the capital stock of the company. There is money in oil stocks if they carry the Standard brand.

The Tangle

EXTRACT FROM THE MORNING ARGUS

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Alden Prescott have been much concerned for many weeks over Mrs. Prescott's health.

Ever since her accident on the old Post Road, Mrs. Prescott has seemed to grow weaker and weaker, both in body and mind. She seemed to think of nothing but the child which she lost at that time, and it was an open secret among her friends that unless something, either a great shock or a great happiness, would change the current of her thoughts, her mind, if not her life, would be in great danger.

After innumerable consultations with the greatest physicians in the country, it was decided that the only thing that would do her any good would be the adoption of a baby. Before this decision was carried into effect, however, Mrs. Joseph Hamilton, the mother of Mrs. Prescott, opened the door of her apartment last evening—to find the traditional baby in the traditional basket. It had not been placed upon the doorstep, because the traditional young people nowadays live in an apartment instead of a house. But there it was on the floor before the door!

To say that the family was overjoyed is putting it mildly. To them it seemed a direct gift from Providence.

The child, upon the suggestion of the physician, was taken immediately to Mrs. Prescott, who welcomed it with open arms. For the first time since her illness she seemed to be perfectly rational. The little baby hands groping about her breast have done something that the greatest surgeons and physicians in the country could not do. They have brought her back to sanity and a perfectly normal outlook upon life. In a moment she had forgotten everything except that she held a tiny morsel of humanity within her arms.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott immediately took steps to adopt the child, upon whose clothing there was nothing that could possibly suggest its parentage, except the fineness and delicacy of the material and the loving care expended upon the embroideries which beautified the dainty fabrics.

Of course it is easy to see that some poor mother from untoward circumstances was unable to care for her child. And hearing of Mrs. Prescott's sad condition and knowing that she was fully able to care for her baby, giving it the greatest comforts and luxuries, she placed it before the Prescotts' door.

This episode, naturally, has made a great stir in society, where the Prescotts are most popular, but neither of them would allow any investigation which would lead to the identification of the baby.

"Whoever placed that baby here," said Mr. Prescott to the reporter, "evidently gave it to us as freely as we accepted it, and she did not want to be known. We will respect her wishes."

The physicians who have been baffled by Mrs. Prescott's case are expecting a very quick recovery, for already the young matron has seen some of her most intimate friends, to whom she has proudly shown her adopted baby, which has been named John Alden Prescott Jr.

TOMORROW—Mrs. Mary Alden Prescott writes to her son, John—Disgraced ancestry.

A FANTOUM OF TRANSPORTATION.

By BERTON BRALEY

Ho hum! Ho hum! This train is slow,
From town to town it seems to creep,
We never will arrive, I know;
There, now, my leg has gone to sleep.

From town to town we seem to creep,
I wish that baby wouldn't yell.
There, now, my leg has gone to sleep,
Heavens, how those bananas smell!

I wish that baby wouldn't yell,
Gosh, there's a cinder in my eye!
Heavens, how those bananas smell!
We've stopped to let a freight go by.

Gosh, there's a cinder in my eye!
No, I don't want those cheap cigars.
We've stopped to let a freight go by:
I wish they'd ventilate these cars.

No, I don't want those cheap cigars,
I don't want fruit or chewing gum.
I wish they's ventilate these cars,
The service on this line is bum.

I don't want fruit or chewing gum!
Great guns, it's only half past four!
The service on this line is bum,
I've got to sit here five hours more.

Great guns, it's only half past four!
Is that kid gonna yell all day?
I've got to sit here five hours more,
I'm sure my hair is growing gray.

Is that kid gonna yell all day?
We never will arrive, I know,
I'm sure my hair is getting gray,
Ho hum! Ho hum! this train is slow!

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AMUSEMENTS

SCHEDULE OF AMUSEMENTS

THURSDAY

Peoples: "Hearts Aflame," starring Anna Q. Nilsson and others.
Pearce "The Toll of the Sea," natural color feature.
Strand: "Adam's Rib," magnificent DeMille production.
Green Tree: "A Noise in Newboro," with Viola Dana featured.

YOAKUM CELEBRATES ITS 37TH BIRTHDAY

YOAKUM, Texas, Aug. 2.—Yoakum celebrated its thirty-seventh birthday. Official census figures show that the town has grown from a population of 3300 in 1890 to a city of 6184 in 1920. Today the population is conservatively estimated at 6500. The first store built here, commenced on July 28, 1887, a wooden structure, has been replaced by a modern two-story brick bank building.

MOVIE STAR SHOOTS SELF IN ACCIDENT

LOS ANGELES, Cal. Aug. 2.—Kenneth Harlan, movie star, was painfully injured today during the filming of a western scene when his revolver went off accidentally. The trigger caught in his overalls as he was attempting to draw. He received severe powder burns and although the revolver contained a blank cartridge, numerous particles of wax were driven into the flesh. Measures to prevent blood poisoning were taken by Dr. J. J. O'Brien, who attended him.

SCHOONER CREW TELLS OF SIBERIA MASSACRE

NOME, Alaska, Aug. 2.—Rumors of a massacre in Siberia in which approximately 100 persons were killed were brought here today by Captain Hamer of the schooner Silver Wave. The alleged massacre took place within a few hundred miles of the North Cape, he said. Arrival tonight of the U. S. revenue cutter Bear was awaited for verification of the rumors.

MT. VERNON MASONS INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

MOUNT VERNON, Texas, Aug. 2. Officers of Mount Vernon Lodge No. 691, A. F. & A. M., have been installed as follows: J. T. Gragg, W. M.; Raymond Hill, S. W.; M. R. Wilkinson, J. W.; Claud Stripling, S. D.; Jim Hightower, J. D.; Will Clinton, tiler.; J. B. Heywood, secretary.

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GIRL, WHIPPED, WANTS TO DIE

Humiliated by Sweetheart On Beach

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2. — Joyce Hibbert, pretty candy store girl, refused to tell her sweetheart the name of a "certain man friend" and in the quarrel that ensued he threw her to the sand near the Beach Chalet and beat her with his fists until she broke away and ran into the ocean crying, "I want to die."

Douglas Campbell heard her cries and plunged in after her and despite her desperate struggles snathed her from the cluth of giant combers and had her removed to the Park Emergency hospital, where it was said she would recover.

The girl refused to tell the police the name of the man who had beaten her and driven her to seek death in the Pacific.

She and this man, according to the report on file with the police, drove through the park and along the Great highway until the lovers' quarrel started over her refusal to reveal the identity of a former suitor.

They got out of the car and walked along the beach.

When Campbell, attracted by the girl's screams, arrived, the girl's assailant climbed into his car and sped away. Then Miss Joyce made her dash into the sea.

MEDICS MAY DROP TITLE OF 'DOCTOR'

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 2.—Physicians in Oregon may no longer write the term "Dr." in front of their names if a movement which began at today's session of the Oregon State Medical association's annual convention is endorsed by the organization. Several delegates said steps would be taken to do away with the designation and substitute the use of the initials of the degree which has been conferred on the physician.

DISLIKES NIGHT MEALS, WIFE ASKS DIVORCE

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 2.—Herbert M. Snider and old John Barleycorn were close friends for 15 years, according to Mrs. Ethel B. Snider, the wife, in a suit for divorce on file in superior court.

It was one of her husband's habits, the wife declared, to come home late at night, come into the bedroom where she was sleeping soundly and pull the bed clothing off on the floor and make her get up and cook him a meal.

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GOOD SCHEME GOES WRONG, PLOTTERS GO

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 2.—A large back yard had been the envy of neighbors several weeks, because of several cherry trees loaded with red fruit.

The woman bought a tin whistle and when the boy reported for work directed him to keep the whistle in his mouth all the time he was picking cherries and to blow it at frequent intervals. Directly a companion walked through the alley at the rear.

The boy in the tree explained between blasts of the whistle the instructions of his employer. Then he tossed the whistle to the boy in the alley.

The woman heard the whistle blasts, but they seemed not to emanate from the tree. She tiptoed into the yard. The boy in the alley ran, then her attention was attracted by a thud under the cherry tree. She turned to see the boy she had hired to pick sherries disappear around the corner—two good schemes gone wrong.

GOODNIGHT GIN IS READY FOR FALL RUSH

CLAUDE, Texas, Aug. 2.—The Goodnight gin is being put in shape for the heavy fall rush of business. The machinery is new in and out but needs a few preliminary touches before the ginning season.

SPOONERS AROUSE ANGER OF MAYOR

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 2.—Curfew is about to ring against spooning in Fairmount park.

Mayor Moore signaled its doom at a meeting of the Fairmont park commissioners. He brought the matter to the attention of the commissioners when the question was raised as to the number of persons permitted to ride on the front seat of an automobile through the park.

SEED REMOVED FROM CHILD BY SURGEON

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Aug. 2.—The 16-months-old child of Mrs. O. K. Harris, living on the Club Lake road, a few miles from town, while eating watermelon today accidentally sucked a seed down one of its bronchial tubes. The seed lodged in the edge of the lungs where it was located by an X-ray examination. The child was taken to Temple where a special surgical operation was necessary to relieve the child. It was reported here today that the operation was performed successfully.

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THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

MISS FRANCES LYLES WEDS MR. RUSSELL H. DUNN, JR., AT BEAUTIFUL HOME SERVICE

'VEN social inertia superinduced by the heat of midsummer is not proof against the perennial charm of the bride, and or some days there have been tiny ripples of activity as friends ave gathered informally in honor of two brides-to-be this week. he prevailing quiet gave way last evening to the music of edding bells, when Miss Frances Lyles, daughter of Mr. and rs. R. Lyles became the bride of Mr. Russell H. Dunn, son of ol. R. H. Dunn of this city. Another wedding of wide interest a host of friends here will take place next Saturday when at of Miss Florence Kutcher, daughter of Mr. A. L. Kutcher, d Mr. Homer Chandler, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Chandler, ill be solemnized.

The Lyles' home, 2009 Sixth street, was in beautiful bridal lornment for the wedding last evening at 6 o'clock, and Rev. r. C. W. Culp, pastor of the First Baptist church, read the impressive service amid an environment herein a bridal motif of blue and old was featured. The ceremony was erformed in the large living room here an improvised altar fashioned blue and gold with a background the favored colors was arranged. all floor baskets filled with beautiful feathery blossoms guarded either de, and pedestals draped with the ue and gold defined a pathway from e stairway to the place assigned for e saving of the solemn vows. Bouets of exquisite pink roses twined ith tulle guarded the approach to e simulated altar.

A beautiful program of wedding usic was given preceding the ceremony. Mrs. Clifford C. Hall, who ore a handsome gown of gray with imnings of rose, sang "O, Promise e," with piano accompaniment by iss Mildred Tate, who was lovely a frock of brown lace. The soft rains modulating into Lohengrin's edding march announced the time for e ceremony.

The bride, who entered alone, was er at the foot of the stairway by e groom and together they proceeded to the altar, where Rev. Culp read e service. The bride's dress was a orgeous creation of black satin with imming of Hardin blue georgette. he wore a handsome black velvet hat ned with taffeta of harmonizing hue nades, and accessories in black. Her orsage, which gave the bridal touch her lovely costume, was fashioned sweetheart roses.

Following the ceremony and congratulations, the wedding collation as served. The dining room was attractively adorned with baskets of nk roses and fern, topped with pink lle, and the punch table with hand-ome lace cover was graced with crystal bowls of the favored blossoms, rystal compotes holding pink mints ompleted the charming scene. Mrs L. Dunn presided over the punch owl. She wore a lovely gown of rown lace.

During the evening Mr and Mrs unn left for a trip to Houston and alveston and other Texas points and pon their return to Port Arthur will ake their home at 818 Sixth street he bride is traveling in a smart three-iece suit of brown canton crepe with rly fall model sand felt hat with rown feathers.

The bride is a charming member of e younger set in Port Arthur and a graduate of both the high school nd the Port Arthur Business College. he attended C. I. A. two years and as a host of friends in Port Arthur eeply interested in her marriage. The groom, also a graduate of e Business College in book-keeping nd banking, has been reared in Port rthur. He is office manager and dial credit manager of Goldbergs.

The popularity of the young couple evidenced by the many beautiful nd useful gifts presented them by eir admiring friends.

Mrs. Virginia Rose Clark of Waco, a aunt of the bride, was an out-of-own guest for the wedding.

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MANY charming showers have been given the attractive bride during e days preceding the wedding, one the loveliest of which was Miss telle Witherup's bridge Monday evening at her home, 1925 Sixth street, ith a delightful linen shower being resented Miss Lyles during the closing hours of the hospitality.

The home was beautifully trimmed ith the lovely flowers of the southnd summer season, pink Radiance ose buds, the favored blossoms, being clustered in wicker baskets opped with pink tulle and placed pretty arrangement about the ooms. The living room and dining oom were especially beautiful for e affair, with drapes of the exquite rose buds and fern ssuspended rom the chandeliers and silver and rystal vases, filled with the blossoms, placed at vantage points.

The three tables at which the ests were seated for the games ere spread with pink and white overs and outfitted with score pads nd tallies featuring the pink and hite theme in attractive manner.

For high score in the games Mrs irginia Rose Clark of Waco received a beautiful madeira center piece and consolation fell to Miss Marie Miles. The lovely gifts were presented to the bride elect.

After the games the bride elect and the guests were requested to hunt for the end of the rainbow, where the wonderful "pot of gold" was to be found. Of course, the bride elect discovered the 'end of the rainbow' and also found many handsome gifts from her intimate friends. Ices, featuring the pink and white theme, were served after the pretty linen gifts were displayed.

The personnel of Miss Witherup's charming hospitality included Miss Mildred Tate, Miss Alberta Lecoq, Miss Marie Miles, Miss Camilla Baker, Miss Juliet George, Miss Eileen Witherup, Mrs. W. S. Yarborough, Mrs. Grace Tucker, Mrs. H. J. Abysen, Mrs. Virginia Rose Clark of Waco, Mrs. R. Lyles, and Mrs. C. J. Witherup.

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AMONG the lovely pre-nuptial hospitalities tendered Miss Florence Kutcher this week, the charming miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening which had as hostesses Mrs. Robert O'Neill, Mrs. Charles O'Neill and Miss Jessie Pattison, was one of the most delightful affairs on the social calendar.

Lovely summer flowers gave floral beauty to the home and formed a pretty background for the evening's entertainment. Several interesting contests were enjoyed by the guests during the evening, an unusually clever one being the ticket contest. In this contest the guests were issued tickets to a certain point, and at the end of their journey they found pictures of their future husbands. The contest proved delightful diversion, the guests having to travel through an intricate maze of stations before arriving at their destination.

At the time appointed for the shower the guests were informed that they were "going fishing," with Miss Kutcher as the "chief fisherman." In the fishing pond the charming bride elect "fished" forth many handsomely bound packages, lovely gifts from her admiring friends. A dainty refreshment service was offered after the packages had been opened and the gifts displayed.

The personnel of the charming affair, in addition to Miss Kutcher, included Miss Ann Todd, Miss Isabelle Todd, Mrs. Claude Small ing, Miss Agnes Todd, Mrs. H. O. Preston, Mrs. H. T. Chandler, Miss Edna Ellsworth, Miss Wee Wee Griffin, Miss Gladys Garrett, Miss Adele Black, Mrs. Frank D. Wrist, Miss Alma Garrett, Mrs. Alfred Jones, Mrs. L. O'Borski, Miss Audrey Pharr, Miss Marian Trahan, Miss Maude Gale, Miss Alice Sanders, Miss Edith Hartman, Miss Eva Butler, Miss Louise Clifford, Mrs. E. A. Clifford, Mrs. Willa Robertshow, Mrs C. O'Neill, Mrs. Robert O'Neill, Miss Jessie Pattison, and Mrs. Charles O'Neill.

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A PARTY COMPOSED OM MISS Laydette Talley, Miss Altha Talley, Miss Mamie Ross, Mrs. J. B. Talley, Miss Maurine Ross, and Mrs. S. A. Brim, left this morning for Sylvan Beach, where they will spend two weeks at their summer cottage.

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SEVERAL MEMBERS OF THE Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, south, enjoyed a refreshing swim in Sabine Lake and a tempting breakfast on Gates beach this morning about 5 o'clock.

The party, chaperoned by Mrs H T. Banker, included Misses Martha McNeill, Pearl McNeill, Gladys Miller, Willa Pycant, Sallie V. Fore, Mary Frances Banker, Daisy Edwards, and Dorothy Allien.

Calendar of Events

THURSDAY

The Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, south, will meet in regular monthly business session at the church, 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. W. D. McFadden will be hostess to the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church at her home, 141 Nashville avenue, 3 o'clock.

Mrs. R. L. Rutan will entertain the P. E. P. club at her home, 2411 Sixth street 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. C. R. Bradley will be hostess to Circle One and Three of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church at her home, 1120 Fifth street.

Mrs. S. M. Humphrey will entertain Circle Two of the First Baptist Auxiliary at her home, 538 Tenth street

Mrs. L. E. Nantz will be hostess to Circle Four of the First Baptist Auxiliary at her home, 1320 Ninth street.

Circle Six of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will meet at Mrs. R. L. Potter's home, 2330 Sixth street.

Circle Seven of the First Baptist Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. A. W. Dycus, 2218 Thomas boulevard.

Mrs. H. H. Hudson will be hostess to Circle Eight of the First Baptist Auxiliary at her home, 2549 Sixth street.

Circle Five of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will meet at Mrs. W. P. Irwin's home, 1708 Seventh street, 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Frances Bushong will entertain the Stitches Club and additional friends at her home, 2636 Fifth street, with a picnic supper, honoring Miss Birdie Latham.

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FRIDAY

The Missionary Society of the Christian church will hold an interesting session and program at the church 2:30 o'clock.

LOVE AND LOVE ALONE!

"Please don't refer to our marriage as a 'screen marriage,'" pleaded Lionel Barrymore, who recently married Irene Fenwick (above) at Rome. "This is a love match," he added. To which Miss Fenwick agreed most heartily.

ANOTHER WEDDING OF INterest to a wide circle of friends in Port Arthur took place last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. John Van Zuuk, 2801 Seventh street, when Miss Jessie Mae Shunn became the bride of Mr. Lloyd Simmons, with the impressive ring service read by Rev. T. Alvis Davis of the Presbyterian church.

The home was in pretty bridal adornment for the ceremony, with a bridal motif of white and green being featured in the living room where the bridal vows were spoken before an improvised altar of ferns and palms. Many clusterings of ferns and roses were elsewhere about the room and suspended above the altar was a lovely white wedding bell. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. R. Pierce played Lohengrin's wedding march, during which time the bridal party entered and took their places before the altar.

The bride wore a pretty costume of white canton crepe, and her filmy sweeping bridal veil was adjusted with a bandeau of orange blossoms. She carried an arm cluster of lovely white bride's roses

Miss Emma Thomas of Galveston, who served as maid of honor, was dainty in a pink organdie dress and she carried a bouquet of beautiful pink roses. Miss Vivian Moerbie, the bridesmaid, was also attired in pink organdie and carried pink roses.

Mr. S. Dempsey attended the groom as best man, and Mr. Allen Harrison served as groosman.

After the ceremony a reception was held, and in the dining room where delicious refreshments of punch and cake were served, a delicate pink and white color scheme was featured and developed in the pink and white flowers. Mrs. Van Zuuk presided over the punch bowl, and was assisted in the dining room by Mrs. C. Morrison, Mrs. A. C. Schultz, and Mrs. John Mack.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons left during the evening for a short honeymoon, following which they will return to Port Arthur and make their home at 2801 Seventh street. The bride's traveling costume was of grey crepe with accessories to harmonize.

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MRS. EUGENE RUFFNER AND children, Adelle and Eugene, Jr., of Phoenix, Ariz., have arrived in the city to join Mr. Ruffner, after a three months' sojourn in Colorado.

Mr. Ruffner is manager of the J. C. Penny company here and is temporarily located with his family at Eugeth and Lake Charles.

Mrs. Ruffner has a remarkable voice and is a musician of rare talent and her coming to Port Arthur will give a delightful acquisition to music circles.

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MR. AND MRS. HERSCHEL Moyers and little son, Roy, of Richards, Texas, arrived last evening in Port Arthur and will spend a few days here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Moyers of 1911 Twelfth street.

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MRS I. E MARTIN OF 249 Fifth street has returned after a pleasant visit with relatives in Los Angeles, Cal.

RAILROAD SHOPS ARE BEING BUILT BY KATY

SMITHVILLE, Texas, Aug. 2.—The foundations are being laid in the Katy shops here for two new boilers for motive power, also excavations are being made for the foundation for an air compressor, which is to be installed.

WOMAN LEAVES DIARY OF DEATH

Watches Clock Tick Off the Seconds As She Writes

NEW YORK, Aug 2.—A diary of death, in the form of a note and several postscripts, expressing deep devotion for her husband, was left behind by Mrs. Marion Barnes, 30, who committed suicide yesterday in her apartment, 1123 Woolycrest avenue, the Bronx.

She had slashed her wrists with a razor and fired two shots into her breast.

According to her husband, Owen C. Barnes, employed by the United States Steel company, she had been a patient in a Connecticut sanitarium for nervous disorders. Her note, written in pencil, read in part:

"I have a horrible life ahead of me. "Whatever I do, my husband is not to be blamed for."

On the back of an envelope these postscripts appeared:

"Thank you dear for extra minutes of yourself. I may not be able to wait until 12.—It is now 12:30—Now the clock is at 12:40."

Here ended the note and, according to the police, also her life.

Song Breaks Vow Not To Marry by Bachelor

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A song broke Louis Sidereas's pledge that he would never marry. The love notes in the voice of Miss Ella Rigas led to their marriage in the Greek Church of St. Constantine. They are on their honeymoon.

Sidereas came to the United States from Greece ten years ago and started a business in Bay Ridge. Because of his ability to lead social activities he often was told he should marry and have a wife to help lead Greek society affairs in Brooklyn.

He took the suggestion good naturedly, but declared he was married to his work and adopted country and had no time for a wife.

For nearly nine years he stayed the attacks of Dan Cupid and seemed in a fair way to keep true to only his two sweethearts.

But Cupid found a way with the aid of a charming voice.

Last Christmas eve, Sidereas was invited to a party at the home of Mrs. Electra Anderton. The guest of honor was pretty Miss Rigas, whose voice had caused her to be in constant demand at social gatherings.

The young woman sang two songs and Sidereas forgot his vows. He sought an introduction to the singer and later called at the Rigas home and became a daily visitor. Last spring he announced he had discarded his vows to love only his business and the United States and asked Miss Rigas to marry him.

Lonely Pomona, Calif., peach packed a note in a box of lemons. It was not fruitless. She found the apple of her eye.

What's in a name? Professor Schmack of Paris has invented a machine to measure kisses.

Des Moines, Ia., safe blowers made $3,000 in a few minutes, but he's steady work.

Watch for Our Announcement In Sunday's News

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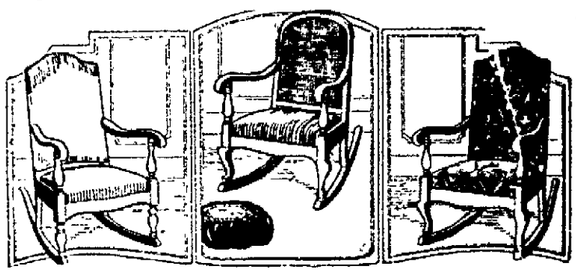

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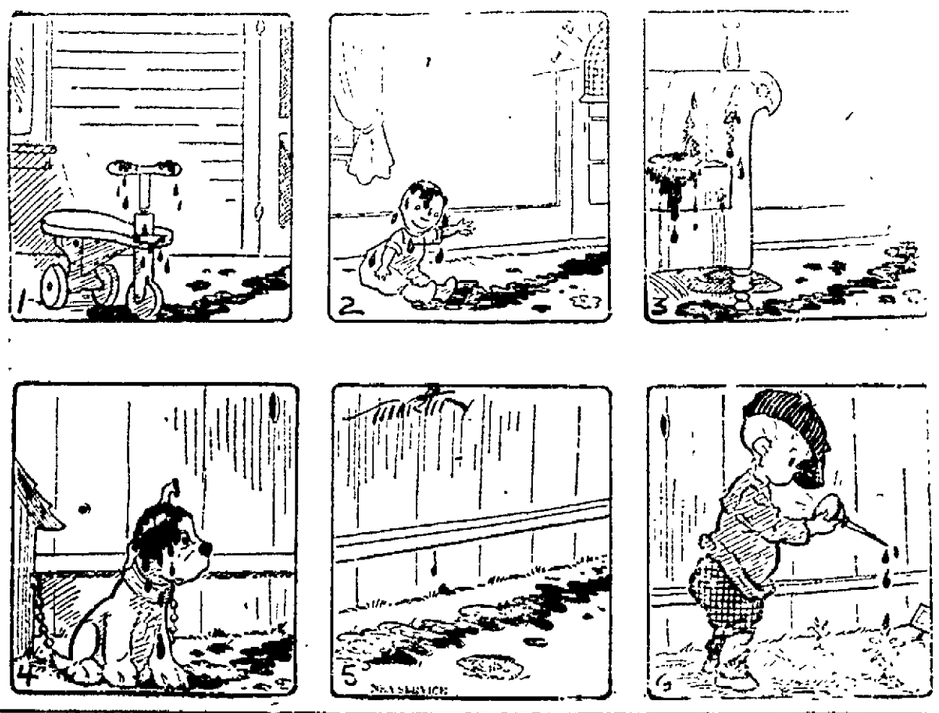

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton

"Oh, do try as hard as you can," urged the head Gloom.

"Sh! Sh!" whispered all the little Glooms to Nancy and Nick.

"Old Cross Patch lives over yonder behind a hedge of nettles, a thicket of smartweed and a jungle of thistles. That's why we can't get at him to get his bad old magic stick away from him.

"Oh, that's nothing!" scoffed Nancy. "We have magic shoes that can take us anywhere. Haven't we, Mister Sky Bow?" And she turned to the kind fairyman who had brought them to Wet Blanket Town.

"Sure they have!" nodded Mister Sky Bow. "They're the finest magic shoes the Fairy Queen had in her magic store house and the Twins wear 'em everywhere. They can get over all the thistle in Christendom."

"Good!" said all the little Glooms gloomily, for being so gloomy they couldn't talk any other way. "Then come! We'll take you as near to the place as we can get. About this time each day old Cross Patch eats his dessert out in his garden. He eats a dozen bananas so he'll get indigestion and when he gets indigestion he gets so cross he could bite a nail in two. And he loves to be cross so he does."

"And he likes to make everybody around him cross and miserable, too," declared Nick. "It's time we were getting his magic stick."

"Oh, do try as hard as you can," urged the head Gloom. "We're so tired of being Gloomy and we want to be happy again. Our real name is the Grinners. We used to be so happy we grinned all the time before we were bewitched."

"Just you wait!" promised Nancy, starting off. "We'll help you to be your old selves again as well as all the other Rainbow Landers."

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SECRET GOADS WIFE TO DEATH

Young Bride Hinted at Hidden Chapter

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Aug. 2.—Goaded and tortured by a heavy conscience, Mrs. Hazel Nanette Block, Denver society girl and a bride of six months, loved her husband too deeply to bear a secret of her youth and continue to live. Surrounded by every luxury and beloved of a cultured young husband, Dr. Harry Block, by her parents and a host of friends, the beautiful girl wife committed suicide by shooting at her home, it was brought out at the coroner's inquest here.

Mrs. Block, 21, talented and popular, had a chapter in her life which probably never will be fully disclosed. She hinted at it broadly in several letters written and secreted in recent weeks and which were read at the inquest. Several times she brought herself to the verge of confessing the secret to her husband he testified, but always would break down and cry, refusing to go on.

Her "terrifying conscience," she wrote to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Berger, Denver department store owners, with its resultant grief and worry forced her to suicide, it was disclosed.

A month ago Mrs. Block wrote to her husband asking forgiveness for having been unable to bring him happiness because of her mental brooding over the wrong she fancied he had done him. She was "too idealistic," she wrote, and that condition gave her a "conscience that was wearing my mind away."

WIFE ALSO TO SUFFER IF HUBBY SELLS MOON

MUSKEGON, Mich., Aug. 2.—The wife who permits liquor to be manufactured or sold in her home by her husband must suffer the same penalty as he, in Muskegon county, Circuit Judge Vanderscoop declared.

"I know from experience that no married man can thus violate the law unless his wife consents," said the court. "It's time we forgot sympathy and enforced the law equally as to man and wife."

The judge then instructed officers to arrest the women as well as their husbands in the future.

"Pleas of poverty will not be considered," added the judge. "It is time we quit encouraging the breeding and rearing of law violators, which children in such homes will be."

DOG AND A WOLF ARE CHUMS AT ZOO

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 2.—Pat, the "bear wrestling" shepherd dog out at Selig Zoo, has a new playmate.

His name is Chinook.

And just at present Pat is enjoying the company of Chinook, who is a baby timber wolf.

The question that puzzling Clyde Vry and Pat Koch, trainers of Col. W. N. Selig's wild "pets," is whether the team is going to work when the wolf is a little older. Chinook is three months old now and the trainers are hoping that with constant association with Pat he will become the first thoroughly trained timber wolf at the zoo.

WOMEN IMPROVE PLACE FOR KIDS TO PLAY

MINERAL WELLS, Texas, Aug. 1.—The Civic league has met with a generous response on the part of the business men of the city in helping to make the children's playgrounds more attractive.

RATTLER BITE MAY KILL LITTLE CHILD

WINFIELD, Texas, Aug. 2.—The little 2-year-old child of Walter Chism, residing near here, was bitten on the foot Saturday by a moccasin snake and ever since the life of the child has been in danger.

GRANDMA AT 45 FLIES AIRPLANE

West Coast Widow First of Her Age to Qualify

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 2.—California grandmothers have taken up aviation.

At the Sierra flying field, near this city, is Mrs. Mary Malcolm, widow of the late J. H. Malcolm of Oakland, who is said to be the first grandma in the world to become an aircraft pilot. She is completing a course of training and will be a registered flyer within the next few weeks.

No woman in America of Mrs. Malcolm's age has ever before attempted to become an aviatrix, according to those familiar with aviation statistics. In fact, few men, they claim, have learned to fly after their 30th year. The Oakland woman, however, was 45 this week, and she held her birthday party high in the clouds.

"Why shouldn't a grandmother learn to fly?" she asks. "This is an age of progress, and in a shorter time than we realize the American business men will be going to work in a flyver plane."

Mrs. Malcolm's grandchildren look on her unusual exploits with awe and admiration, and her greatest ambition she says, is to soar through the air with the youngsters beside her in the cockpit.

BAPTISTS OF NORTH TEXAS HOLD MEET

SHERMAN, Texas, Aug. 2.—The annual encampment of North Texas Baptists is opened at Wood Lake, 5 miles north of Sherman.

B. M. McKinney of Fort Worth, will have charge of the musical program throughout the encampment, which will last through August 10.

Sherman is filling with Baptists. Hundreds of them will camp at Wood lake the entire time, more than 30 tents having been put up there today.

DARKTOWN TRIANGLE RESULTS IN SHOOTING

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 2.—"Is you?" queried Eddie Frazier, negro of Renzo Palmer, another negro.

"Is I what?" countered Renzo.

"Is you goin' to stay away from my woman?" Eddie Explained.

"Yes I is not!" Renzo came back.

Then Eddie drew a pistol. Hospital attendans drew a bullet from Renzo's hip.

FATHER OF EIGHT ACCUSED BY WIFE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—William W. Day, father of eight children, is accused by his wife, Mrs. Lily Day, of being infatuated with a woman neighbor. The wife filed suit for absolute divorce.

Day, according to the petition, is a painter making $8 a day.

THIEVES MAKE OFF WITH HEAVY SAFE

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 2.—Thieves broke into the butcher shop of George Hiebrick through a window and carried away a 500 pound safe containing $200.

The safe was found on Central avenue, a block from the butcher shop. It was open and empty.

DIAMOND BAR PIN STICKS IN BOY'S FOOT

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Aug. 2.—When Emerald Thompson, 13, newsboy, felt a sharp pain in his barefoot, he discovered a diamond bar pin sticking in his skin. Emerald was liberally rewarded by the owner of the ornament who had lost it a few minutes previously.

California woman received $100,000 for her stolen hubby, who may not have been worth a dime.

Many detourists are in town.

CHEAPER MELONS IN ROCKDALE REPORTED

ROCKDALE, Texas, Aug. 2.—With a bountiful crop of each, watermelons and cantaloupes are cheaper this year than has been known in a number of years. Watermelons sell at 10 to 20 cents each, and cantaloupes seven and eight for a quarter. They are also of excellent flavor and sweetness due to plenty of sunshine and little rain.

NO PRINCE OR PAUPER, TOWN IS BOASTFUL

HOLLAND, Mich., Aug. 2.—Holland is a unique city, acording to Mayor E. P. Stephen. In his address to the Master Painters of Michigan the mayor said there was not a millionaire in the city, nor any poor.

"We are without rich or poor," said the mayor. "We have no room for the idle rich, and probably that is why we have no millionaires."

WOMAN IS INJURED AS AUTO HITS COW

ELECTRA, Texas, Aug. 1.—Mrs. L. A. Noack, who lives on the Rio Brave lease, was painfully injured this week when the automobile in which she was riding collided with a cow. The woman was brought to Electra for emergency treatment and later transferred to the general hospital in Wichita Falls. None of her companions received serious injuries.

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OUSTON FETES ARGONNE LION

n. Gouraud of France Is Guest of City

OUSTON, August 2.—General ri Joseph Eugene Gouraud, "lion he Argonne," was the guest of ston and the state of Texas to-

reception committee of 100 head- y Major General John A. Hulen, nander of the 36th division ever- greeted the one-armed leader of ce and his party when they ar- at the union station here from Orleans. The party was escort- the Rice hotel, where a suite of s had been reserved. Two bands, ing popular wartime marches and s and national anthems of France the United States, led the way the station to the hotel.

or two days decorators worked ishly to put the city in gala at- end today the flags of America, ce and the Lone Star state flut- from every business house and entire down-town section was a ination of colors.

l ex-service men have been re- ted to don their uniforms and ticipate in a parade which was to place at 5:30 p. m. today.

e occasion has been declared a holiday by Mayor Oscar Hol- e.

llowing the parade this afternoon, ernor Pat M. Neff was to deliver ddress to the noted general on lf of the State of Texas.

Texas Progress

lpine—Franchise has been granted e Citizens Telephone company for mplete rural telephone system in ester county.

l Paso—Contract has been made een the El Paso Electric Railway pany and the Southern Pacific way for electric power for the s of the latter named company.

ort Worth — An ordinance by the commissioners outlines routes jitneys operating intercity lines traverse in this city. A petition citizens asked for elimination of jitneys from certain streets de- ng them dangerous.

ercedes—Materials for a trans- ion line for electric energy be- n San Benito and Mission are ar- g and construction of the line begin at once by the Texas Cen- Power company.

arlington—Election will be held st 17 on a proposal to sell the icipal light plant here to the s Central Power company.

oby—Reconstruction of the Roby Northern railroad is going for- l rapidly since the line was taken by the West Texas Utilities com- and is being electrified

rrell — The city system of road sers and the working of roads izens as provided by law is to be tated in Kaufman county. It generally fallen into disuse in re- years

illsboro — The city council has n action refusing to join in re- nce to a customer charge that is l by the Municipal Gas company e cities served by that company.

ris—The water supply plant of s is now in operation, the pump- ing done electrically under con- with the local electric power and company. The new water sup- is estimated to be good for five without replenishing. The plant a million dollars.

llas — The Dallas Power and t company is preparing to con- t a new substation in North Dal- This is the fourth substation in city and is required by the rapid ase in demand for electric service.

llas—Thirty new modern street ordered by the Dallas Railway any are to be delivered in Janu- These cars are a new type and e used as pay-as-you-enter or as- eave.

onte—C. C. Holder and F. E. n have secured a franchise for lectric light and power plant in city and the plant will be com- d in September.

sco—Extension of the ornamen- ighting system in this city is to nade to the Cotton Palace and Sixth street from Washington ranklin.

enham — Plans to improve the r supply of this city are being cted by the city authorities. A issue will be submitted to the s for the purpose.

IDES DAY EVENTS PLANNED AT MEXIA

EXIA, Texas, Aug. 2. — The Chamber of Commerce has ar- d for a regular monthly trades n this city, beginning Sept. 30, hat date a flying circus will be of the entertainment and in- ent for attendance by the r trade, much of which has lost to other surrounding towns se of the oil boom here. A con- has been made with Lieutenant Toneray of the Gulf States g circus to bring his ship here ept. 30.

TO PLAY SUNDAY

Port Arthur Knights of Co- s, twice victors of the Beau- club of the organization, invade lagnolia park field at Beaumont Sunday for another game of all.

game will probably attract a attendance, the reputation of teams as scrapping contingents well known in this section.

lliam Pitts of Buffalo finds rats Then they say "Don't jump. a man."

MARKETS

NEW YORK, August 2.—A strong opening of the stock market today was sufficient to cause considerable short covering during the early hours which coupled with some buying which came on the show of the strength resulted in considerable price improvement during the first four hours.

Around the fourth hour, however, with short covering expanded and some profit taking going on, the list softened, professionals then took advantage of the situation and stocks soon lost their gains.

Going into the fourth hour stocks reacted about a point from the highs made earlier in the day and though the volume of trading was not heavy, receded further later. Rails were relatively firm toward the closing hour with the exception of Rock Island issues which were off a little, the common around 20½ being down about 2 point.

The market closed irregular.

Closing prices:

U. S. Steel 87¼, off 1.
Republic 48, off ⅝.
Baldwin 112¾, off ⅞.
American Locomotive 71¼, up 2.
Texas Company 40¼, off 1.
Pan-American 59, up 1.
Cosden 32½, up ¼.
Studebaker 102½.
General Motors 14.
American Can 87½, off ⅝.
Corn Products 129½, up 1½.
American Sugar 58¾, up ½.
Anaconda 39¾, up ¼.
American Smelting and Refining 55, up ¼.
Chesapeake and Ohio 57¾, off ⅝.
Great Northern pfd 54, off 3/8.
Northern Pacific 57, off 1¼.
Baltimore and Ohio 47, off ½.
New York Central 97, off ½.
Reading 73¾, off ¼.
Atchison 95¼, off ⅞.

Stocks opened firmer today on a fair amount of activity with the gains ranging from a fraction to 1½ points in American Smelting.

Steel Common at 85⅝ was within ⅛ of the high of Wednesday.

Sterling off, as did most of the other foreign exchanges, except French francs which were up slightly. The English parliament was told by Premier Baldwin that the French and Reglan notes on reparations offered no prospect of a joint allied power to Germany.

Opening prices:

American 88⅞, up ½.
Studebaker 102¾, up ½.
Bethlehem 47¼, up ½.
North American 21⅝.
Union Pacific 127, off ⅞.
Baltimore and Ohio 48, up ½.
Baldwin 114, up ⅞.
Southern Pacific 85¼, off ¼.
Texas Company 40¾.
American Woolen 85, up 2.
Cosden 32, off ¼.
United States Steel 85⅝, up ⅞.
American Locomotive 70⅞, up ½.
Westinghouse 56¼, up ⅞.
Pan-American 59½, up ⅜.
Pan-American "B" 57¼, up ⅜.
New York Central 97½.
U. S. Rubber 50, off ¼.
American Smelting 55¼, up ¼.
Reading 74¼.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, August 2.—Foreign exchange opened lower.

Sterling $4.56½; francs .0574; lire .0431¾; Belgians .0458 marks 1,111,111 to the dollar, off 58,481.

The foreign exchange closed with a higher tone.

Sterling closed at $4.56¾; francs francs .0576¼; lire .0432; marks 1,111,111 to the dollar, off 58,481.

NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS

U. S. Liberty, 3½s 100.01
U. S. Liberty, 1st 4¼s 98.40
U. S. Liberty, 2nd 4¼s 98.50
U. S. Liberty, 3rd 4¼s 98.25
U. S. Liberty, 4th 4¼s 98.50
Victory, 3¾s 99.21

CHICAGO PRODUCE

BUTTER: Creamery, extras 41; creamery, standards 41, firsts 38½@38; seconds 35@36.

EGGS — 9265. Ordinaries 23@24½; firsts 25@25½.

CHEESE Twins 21½@22; young Americas 23½@24.

POULTRY—4 cars. Fowls 17@21; ducks 14@24; geese 16@21; broilers 25; springs 29; turkeys 20; roosters 14.

POTATOES—126 cars.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, La., August 2.—The cotton market closed lower.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Oct.	22.15	22.33	21.62	21.65
Dec.	22.15	22.38	21.66	21.67
Jan.	22.09	22.30	21.64	21.64
Mar.	22.17	22.37	21.68	21.69

Spots 22.75, unchanged.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, August 2.—The market closed lower

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Oct.	22.50	22.86	22.17	22.35
Dec.	22.44	22.80	22.11	22.15
Jan.	22.30	22.61	21.93	21.99
Mar.	22.30	22.68	22.01	22.10

Spots 23.50, down 15.

MOUNTAIN FEUD BARED IN COURT

Pastor's Wife Tells of Shooting of Husband by Garrett

CUMBERLAND COURTHOUSE, Va., Aug. 2.—Spectators at the trial of Larkin C. Garrett, jointly indicted with his brother Robert, for the murder of the Rev. E. S. Pierce on June 5, were tensely waiting today for the defense to show its hand.

The prosecution, having played its trumps yesterday in the testimony of the widow of the slain pastor and several eye-witnesses, was expected to rest today. Expectations were that the defense would call only five witnesses and would take only a day in presenting its case.

Thirteen eye-witnesses, including Mrs. Pierce, gave their versions of the tragedy that grew out of a bitter Cumberland mountain feud.

She described the Garrett brothers' visit, how she tried to stop Larkin Garrett from beating her husband; how she screamed for help, how Robert Garrett hurled her away while she held her infant in one arm and tried to pull Larkin Garrett away from her husband with the other, how Robert Garrett cursed her and how her husband came into the house and procured his shotgun and revolver, staggering back into the yard to his death in spite of her pleading with him not to go back.

MEETS HUGHES

Young Darby, Beaumont bantam, is in training for a scrap on August 7 at Lake Charles with Bobby Hughes, former Port Arthur lad.

Darby has established his headquarters near Beaumont and is attracting large crowds daily to witness his workouts.

FRIENDS AT HAND UNABLE TO SAVE GIRL

EDWARDSVILLE, Ill., Aug. 2.—Eye-witnesses to the slaying of pretty Viola Miller, 17 years old, telephone operator, and the suicide of the slayer, a former suitor, were called to the coroner's inquest on the double tragedy here today.

The Miller girl was shot and killed near her home by Edward Jedliska while an escort and other friends of the girl looked on helpless. Jedliska then fired a bullet into his own heart.

WEATHER AND ROADS

Concordia: Cloudy; fair.
Dodge City: Raining; muddy.
Goodland: Cloudy; fair.
Kansas City: Clear; good.
Topeka: Cloudy; fair.
Arkansas City: Somewhat cloudy; good.
Wichita: Partly cloudy; good
Oklahoma City: Cloudy; good.
Tulsa: Partly cloudy; good.
Sapulpa: Clear; good.
Chickasha: Clear; good.
Dallas: Clear; good.
Fort Worth: Clear; good.
Houston: Clear; good.
San Antonio: Clear; good.

Fraternal

COSMOPOLITAN LODGE NO. 872, A. F. & A. M. State meeting Thursday evening, Aug. 2nd, at 8 p. m. for transaction of business. Good attendance is expected. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
W. H. BAILEY, W. M.
J. J. CARRELL, Secy.

Special Notices

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership from Vaughan and Silber, composed of E. L. Vaughan and Harry H. Silber, engaged in the Real Estate and Insurance business in Port Arthur, Texas, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. E. L. Vaughan has acquired the interest in the firm heretofore held by Mr. Harry H. Silver. Mr. Vaughan has assumed and will pay all debts owing by and against the firm, and will be entitled to receive and receipt for all amounts due and owing to firm.
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HARRY H. SILBER.

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PERSONAL—Want a set of books to keep during spare time; will post, balance and attend to statements. Very reasonable fee. Phone 1450.

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DRESSMAKING and Millinery; all summer hats at cost. Phone 1487. Mrs. Poling, 1348 9th.

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LET one with experience make your little daughters' dresses. 840 Stilwell. Phone 988.

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2341 Ninth. Phone 580

FOR FIRST-CLASS architecture drawing see L. E. LeBlanc, 937 13th. Draftsman with diploma. All work guaranteed.

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Lost and Found

FOUND—Money at Christian Cafeteria Wednesday noon. Owner can have same by paying for ad and identifying money.

NICELY furnished cool room to gentlemen. 2701 Lake Shore. Phone 382.

LOST—Tuesday night, 1 small bill fold containing $21, papers and cards. Finder return paper and keep money. J. L. Massey, 407 Procter.

LOST—One pair roadster curtains, blue. Finder please ring telephone No. 1346.

STOLEN from natitorium Monday afternoon, boy's double bar Pierce Arrow bicycle. Phone 1808 or call 610 DeQueen for reward.

FOUND—Baby's ring. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for this ad.

Help Wanted—Male

BARBER TRADE—Learn it, junior, senior and post graduate course, $45, life scholarship. Houston Barber College, 1202 Congress avenue, Houston, Texas.

OPENING for right kind of boy with bicycle, soliciting and distributing groceries. Inquire Retail Merchants Assn.

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WANTED—Colored woman to dress chickens on Saturdays. 1925 5th St.

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EXPERIENCED stenographer with position desires a change. Address A. care News.

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FIRST-CLASS bedroom and garage for refined gentlemen. See Mr. Brounard at Retail Merchants Association. Phone 29.

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ONE bedroom, adjoining bath. 1200 Procter. Phone 1151.

FURNISHED bedroom and garage. 2120 5th. Phone 2034.

NICELY furnished bedroom for gentleman. 320 Beaumont Ave.

FURNISHED front room for two gentlemen. 215 Lakeshore. Phone 509.

MODERN bedroom. 1225 Procter.

FURNISHED room and garage for 1 or 2 gentlemen. 1236 DeQueen.

FURNISHED bedroom. 1001 7th.

ONE LARGE front room with bath for rent to two or three gentlemen. 1147 8th.

TWO rooms for rent. 1919 9th St. Phone 2264.

NICELY furnished bedroom adjoining bath in quite home to a couple. 2505 Procter. Phone 1216.

BEDROOM FOR RENT. 700 Sixth street.

BEDROOM. 545 Stilwell. Phone 1765.

PLEASANT rooms for gentlemen at 1637 Procter.

FOR RENT—Large bedroom. 1345 6th street.

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ROOM for gentlemen. 548 Stilwell.

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TWO furnished rooms; couple preferred. 623 8th.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 929 6th St.

NICELY furnished rooms. 802 Fifth street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms; no children. 639 7th.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms for rent. 526 Austin Ave. Phone 881.

NICE furnished light housekeeping rooms for rent. 627 Thomas Blvd.

THREE unfurnished rooms for rent. 820 12th St.

THREE furnished rooms and bath; garage. 447 Savannah.

UNFURNISHED bedroom and living room with private lavoratory. Ideal for a right party. Phone 370.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms for rent. 777 Fort Worth Ave.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms for rent; also board and room. 718 8th.

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TWO large unfurnished light housekeeping rooms; modern; no children. 1023 Procter.

FOR RENT—To couple, 3 completely furnished housekeeping rooms with garage. Phone 2596. 1421 14th.

Apartments For Rent

APARTMENT for rent. Phone 165.

MODERN furnished apartment. 616 Ninth. Phone 381.

TWO apartments for rent, unfurnished. Inquire at 635 Mobile. Phone 1193.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment for couple; modern; close in. 616 Sixth street.

FOR RENT—Modern 2, 3, 4 and 5-room apartments. The Palms garage accomodations. Dallas Avenue and Tenth. E. A. LAUGHLIN, Owner.

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THREE-ROOM house by an acreage. Dryden road. Phone 438.

THREE-ROOM house to party buying furniture at half price. Rear of 1519 E. 13th.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, 2420 Procter for 3 months. References required.

FOR SALE—Furniture for four rooms. House can be rented for $25 per month. Apply A. J. Toups, 332 Austin Ave.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Apply 1900 8th St. Phone 793.

FIVE-ROOM house. 1248 E. 16th St.

HOUSE for rent. 7 rooms and garage. 2120 5th. Phone 2034.

FOR RENT — Five-room furnished house; close in; to couple for two month. Phone 2872. 619 Mobile.

FOR RENT—Five-room house and 3-room house. Apply 732 8th St. Phone 430.

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GARAGE FOR RENT. 1312 8th.

GARAGE FOR RENT. 1923 Procter.

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BEDROOM with board for 1 or 2 men. Private family. References exchanged. Phone 2117. 819 Procter.

ROOM AND BOARD. 1313 Lake Shore. Phone 2133.

ROOM AND BOAD in private home. 215 Dallas.

COOL room and meals for gentleman. Private home. Phone 475. 2147 Procter.

ROOM AND BOARD. 1048 Procter. Phone 2871.

BOARD AND ROOM. 216 4th. Phone 1867.

Wanted To Rent

GENTLEMAN desires furnished room in private Christian family. State location. Box 700, care News.

Wanted To Buy

USED sewing machine. Must be in good condition and cheap for cash. Phone 2969.

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FOR SALE—Corner lot at 2348 14th St. Call Davis. Phone 2413.

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GROCERIES FOR SALE. 900 Houston.

FOR SALE—at 345 E. 18th St.: Two dressers, 2 washstands, 1 dufold, 4 rockers, 1 victrola, bedsteads, mattresses and springs, 1 four-burner oil stove, dinner table, ice box, 2 tables, Singer sewing machine and other articles. Come take some and leave some.

FOR SALE—Green tomatoes by the bushel. Twelfth and Beaumont road.

OAK bedstead, refrigerator, sewing machine, rugs, linoleum. Phone 2719.

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FOR SALE—Two Fords reasonable. 1225 DeQueen Blvd.

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JERSEY cow and young calf for sale or trade for Ford car. 1028 Nederland Ave.

Poultry and Pet Stock

CHICKENS FOR SALE — Fat hens 28c pound, spring fryers 35c pound, dressed and delivered free, at 1925 Fifth street. Phone 2181.

FOR SALE—Canary birds, fine singers. 1209 Lake Shore. Phone 960.

CANARY BIRDS, extra good singers. $7.50 a pair. 801 Houston. Phone 2719.

BEAUTIFUL black, white and orange Persian kittens. Phone 2167. Box 1079.

FOR SALE—Airedale Terrier Pups, 2 months old; thoroughbred stock. 1301 10th. Phone 101.

Financial

The Standard Credit Co.
OLDEST in Texas, loaning $5 to $75 without security to working men and women. Rates lowest—service best.
208-209 Tyrell Bldg.

Business Opportunities

TAILOR shop fixtures and business. All new. Good location. Real bargain. Box 500 care News.

Port Arthur Real Estate

FOR SALE
MODERN, good, practically new five-room cottage close in, $4500. Will take good car or new Ford as part pay, balance $40 monthly. Rents for $35.
BEAUTIFUL lots 50x215 feet fronting on paved Beaumont road, $500, 10 per cent cash, balance 2 per cent monthly.
GOOD 5-room home on 14th street fronting lake, $2750, $250 cash, balance $30 monthly.
CHOICE corner lot in 2300, will build home to suit, 15 per cent cash, balance 7 years.
ONE of the best corner lots for apartment house in city, $4500 if taken at once.
J. C. ZECK
529½ Procter.

PRETTY new 6-room and garage, 2600 block 15th. See the finish in this house. A baragain.
I AM building a pretty 5-room bungalow, breakfast room, sleeping porch, garage, 2900 block 7th. Go see the material and workmanship in this house. You may want it when completed.
I HAVE some nice vacant lots in 2900 block 7th, priced right.
NICE lot on 11th, facing lake, 2200 block, $1000.
J. E. BAKER
614 Procter. Phone 83

IF YOU want a good home near DeQueen school on 7th street see this place. Price $3750, cash $500, notes, $25 per month. You will have to hurry for this place will go quickly. See MACKEY BROS.
Over Merchants National Bank
Phone 1779.

CORNER lot, 4-room house, rent will take care of notes, 2648 14th St.

Port Arthur Real Estate

NEW 5-room modern home on corner lake front lot, $3250, $500 cash.
NEW 6-room modern home, $3500, $500 cash.
BEAUTIFUL 6-room modern home 7th street, Model Addition, $5200, terms.
HOME—Five rooms, 8th street, 2100 block, $2750.
FIVE-ROOM modern home, 13th St., close in, $2650, $500 cash.
SIX-ROOM modern home on corner and inside lot covered with peach, fig and plum trees, grape vines galore, barn and chicken yard and house, all for $2500. Terms.

ACREAGE

20 ACRES of the finest land in Jefferson county, has dairy barn, well, garage and 5-room house and all fenced in. Make your terms on this place, its mighty good stuff.
10 ACRES just off Country Club road, $3250, not under cultivation.

LOTS

TWO corner lots on 15th street with building clause on each, $800, terms.
ONE lot on Houston Ave., $1700, terms.

LAIRD & FRERE
Room 10 First Natl. Bank Bldg.
Phone 311.

If You Plan to
Live in a Better Home
A Few Years From Now
Buy Your Site in
GRIFFING'S
RESIDENTIAL
PARK
NOW.

WE still have a few choice sites, 75 feet frontage, which can be bought at present prices. Terms are 5 per cent cash and 2 per cent monthly, so there is no excuse for waiting if you ever expect to live in Griffing.

THE new school building will start in January and this will bring more homes to Griffing. Many new and expensive homes are now being planned for this beautiful restricted district. You're certain to want to live in Griffing. A growing city makes unrestricted property liable to stores, filling stations, etc., that you do not want for neighbors. Build your home in Griffing and be safe.

C. L. MOON
517 Procter St. Phone 450.

FOR SALE
WE ARE OFFERING LOTS AT PEAR RIDGE FOR $250 AND $325, 10% CASH AND $15.00 MONTHLY. THIS IS ONLY ABOUT FOUR OR FIVE BLOCKS FROM PEAR RIDGE STATION, ONLY TEN MINUTES RIDE TO TOWN.
THESE LOTS ARE ALL HIGH AND DRY, GOOD SHELL STREETS ALL THE WAY THROUGH THE TOWN-SITE.
OUR CAR IS READY TO TAKE YOU OUT AT ANY TIME.
THESE LOTS WILL BE ADVANCED IN PRICE SOON.
DeWITT & SANDERS
531 AUSTIN
PHONE 1785

WE have a number of buyers who want some desirable homes and lots on Lake Shore, Procter, 5th, 6th, 7th or 8th. If you have property in these locations list it with us at a reasonable figure and we'll sell it for you.
LAIRD & FRERE
Rooms 10, First Nat'l Bank
Phone 311

FOR SALE
NICE lot on 15th street, facing lake. 1100 block, near the park, $900, $600 cash, balance $20 per month.
TWO good lots on corner of 6th ave. and Thomas blvd., 105x150, $1600, $800 cash, balance $25 per month.
NEW 5-room modern home completely furnished, only $3300, $1100 cash, balance less than rent. Here is a bargain.
WE have lots and improved property in all parts of the city and Griffing's Residential Park.
TEN more lots in Highline for $250, $25 cash, balance $10 per month. Get them while they are hot.
GEO. W. GUTE
Room 7 Stock Bldg. Phone 266
MRS. E. PROHL, saleslady, phone 488
GRANT HAYES, salesman, phone 266

NEW 5-room modern corner, $1000, $600 cash.
FIVE-room well improved, filled in lot, plenty shrubbery, facing lake on 12th street, fine neighborhood, only $3250, $1057 cash, $30 month and interest.
FIVE-room modern on New Orleans Ave., near 7th, dandy buy, $3500, $350 cash, $25 month.
FOUR-room modern in 1700 on 11th, $3500, $300 cash, $25 month.
FOUR-room house near Franklin school, 14th street, $2500, $500 cash, $25 month.
FEW more lots near Model Addition, $275, $50 cash.
LOTS at Pear Ridge $250 and up, easy terms.
ALSO lots at Port Neches and Nederland.
R. S. TATUM
506 5th Phone 1836

A REAL GOOD FOUR ROOM HOME
ON East 18th street, well fenced and in fine shape. If you want a four-room home, this property will suit you. Price $2,100, $300 cash, $25 per month.
D. KINARD
Phone 310 Office 401 Procter St.

WHEN do you want your home?
LET us take you out and see some good homes. We still have some new homes. Can move right in with a small payment down.
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Over Merchants National Bank
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Port Arthur Real Estate

AVANT REALTY CO.
Room 7, Brinkman Bldg.
Phone 1365.
Phone us for the following:
AT ROSEMONT PARK—Six 25x150 foot lots and 4-room house, the best chicken range in this country. All goes for $1,200.00, $450.00 cash and the balance at $25.00 per month, and no interest till principal is paid. Then the interest will be paid at $25.00 per month.
TWO ACRES of sandy loam ground and a beautiful big spacious 3-room house. Near Beaumont Road. All fenced, for only $1,470.00, with $600 cash and the balance at $25.00 per month.
HERE is a home for the person who wants to make a permanent place to live and die. Eight large, lovely rooms and all modern conveniences, situated in the choicest part of the Griffing Townsite. All the lovely little conveniences that are dear to a woman's heart are built into this house. $8,000.00. (Two big lots.) $3,000.00 cash. Easy terms.
THREE dandy 50x150 lots, all fenced with new wire and fine garden developed. New house. For $2,600.00, $1,000.00 cash. Pear Ridge.
WE have for sale or will exchange for Port Arthur property a dandy 5-room modern home, 2 lots and in a fine garden and truck country in the city limits of Marshall, Texas. For $2,100.00, $1,000.00 cash. This is a fine home worth $3,000.00 and will sell for that much when shops in Marshall resume operations.
200-ACRE farm near San Antonio (highly improved) $4500.00. 84 acres (developed to the last word). Near Waco, Texas.
FINE fruit farm in the picturesque Ozark mountains in the good old state of Arkansas to swap for city property.

CITY PROPERTY.

FIVE-room modern in 1300 block 12th street, $2,750.00, $1,250.00 cash.
FIVE-rooms, corner lot, lake front, 2300 block, 10th, $3,150.00.
TWO rooms and barn, 1600 block, 14th, $1,260.00, $684.00 cash.
FOUR rooms, corner lot, lake front, 1800 block, 12th, $2950.00. Terms.
ON De Queen between 5th and 6th streets. Two beautiful modern homes $6,000.00 each. Good easy terms.
EIGHT-room modern, lovely home in 1800 block on 5th, $9,000.00. Terms.
TWO lovely homes in Old Model (brand new), $15,000.00, $6,000.00 cash and the balance at $125.00 per month.
SIX rooms, all modern in 2700 block Procter, $7,500.00. Terms.
NINE rooms (fine home), 1200 block Procter, $15,750.00. Terms.
FOUR lots and 9 houses on Austin Ave., $17,500.00. Terms.
A 25x150 foot lot in 1000 block, Houston Ave. With good 4-room house and plenty shell to fill in lot. This is a fine business lot. Price $2600, $1500 cash.
LAKE front corner lot on Procter for $3,000.00. One-half cash.
THREE inside lots, 2100 block 11th St. $1,000.00 each. Terms.
ONE lot, 2200 block 13th St. $850.00. Terms.
ONE lot, 1900 block 11th St., $1,250.00, $250.00 cash.
ONE lot, lake front, Old Model, on 5th street, $2,500.00. One-half cash.
ONE lot between Procter and Lake Shore on Richmond for $3,000.00. Terms.
FINE modern home in 2000 block 12th St., $2,950.00. Terms.
BEAUTIFUL little home in Old Model on 6th St., highly filled in lot and all modern conveniences. $3,000.00, $500.00 cash and the balance at $50.00 per month and interest.
CALL to see us for property exchanges. We can place you anywhere you want to be in the city.

SPECIAL—New 5-room modern, a bargain. Party leaving town
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Building and Real Estate
450 Austin Phone 145

ACRE LOTS AT THE SAME PRICE OF CITY LOTS.
I have some of the finest acre homesites around the city every one of them is a master piece for a lovely home and they are only 2 blocks from car line, fine shell street, good water can be had at a depth of 25 feet. You have plenty of room for a garden, orchard, cow and a thousand head of chickens. This will positively be your last chance to get an acre lot in this neighborhood as all the land surrounding this property has been cut up in city lots. You can buy one of these acres for several hundred dollars less than you will be able to get them after I have sold out. A small cash payment down and the balance $15 and $20 per month or you can buy a half acre and pay $10 per month. Remember they are on a fine shell road, with light and phone service, and only 5 minutes drive from the city. No trouble to show you the property.
D. KINARD
The Real Estate Man.
Phone 310.
Office 401 Procter Street.

BY OWNER—Three new modern 5-room homes, corner lots, good locations, garage. Prices and terms right. Phone 1817.

NEW HOME in 1300 block on 15th street, $500 cash, balance $35 per month.
LOT in New Model Addition on 10th street, $800, terms.
A GOOD home in 1500 block 10th street, all modern, terms.
LOT on 6th street in New Model Addition facing Beaumont road, $1700 terms.
NEW HOME in 1100 block on 17th street, $3200, all modern. Terms.
FIVE-ROOM home in 2100 block 14th street, $3150, all modern, garage, $500 cash.
HAVE two nice places on DeQueen Blvd.
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450 Austin. Phone 145

SMITH'S ADDITION
FOR COLORED PEOPLE
THIS is your chance to own your own home, among your own people, out in the open away from the crowded section in which you now live.
THESE lots are situated on gravel road near Port Acres. The elevation of the land is exceptionally high and the soil especially fertile.
COME and live where it is healthy, economical and where you can prosper.
Prices range from
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Per Lot.
PAYMENTS 10 per cent cash, balance in 2½ years.
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FOR SALE BY OWNER—Lot 1 block from Model Addition, outside city limits, $750. Phone 1710.

BEAUTIFUL Beaumont modern bungalow, 6 rooms, 5 lots, sacrifice for immediate sale. Easy terms. Call at location, Pipkin and Port Arthur road or Phone Beaumont 1174.

WILL exchange sedan in A-1 shape for your lot or equity in modern home. Phone 1770. 3416 Sixth.

FOR SALE BY OWNER—Lot in the Model Addition. Phone 2144.

FIVE rooms and bath; modern. 1000 14th. Terms.

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Ford 8 to 1 Shot for President; Harding Is 5 to 1 Favorite on Wall Street

$50,000 Bet to Back the Flivver King Now Offered, Says Broker Handling Nation's Big Political Wagers.

By EDWARD THIERRY

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The first money for betting on next year's presidential election has appeared in Wall Street.

President Harding is considered a 5 to 1 shot. Odds on Henry Ford and **William G. McAdoo** are quoted at 8 to 1.

There is $50,000 ready to be bet at 1 to 15 thata Ford will be the next president.

Another man, backing Governor Al Smith of New York, has $2000 that he is holding in the hope of getting odds of 20 to 1.

These figures, the first intimation of the trend of the betting world on the big political race of 1924, were given in an interview with NEA Service by Guy B. De Chadenedes, a Wall Street broker who is noted for handling some of the largest political bets made during the past 10 years.

"More money will be bet on the next presidential election," said De Chadenedes, "than on any election in history. Probably none of the big bets will be placed until next summer. But brokers and speculators are already beginning to figure out probable odds.

"Ten million dollars was bet on the Harding-Cox fight in 1920, according to estimates. Two million was bet on the Smith-Miller race for governor of New York last fall."

Opinions vary on probable odds. Slate-makers, considering possibilities and near-possibilities, have made up a list of 20 republicans and 20 democrats who have been "mentioned" as presidential timber.

"Henry Ford is a big factor in any such 'future book,'" said De Chadenedes. "Assuming he is a democrat, one could probably get odds of 5 to 1 against his nomination.

"The best bet that would probably be taken against Ford for the presidency would be 8 to 1, the same as McAdoo, but I know of a broker who will now lay 1 to 15 that he will be elected. In other words, the man who wishes to bet on Ford is demanding 15 to 1 for his money, while those disposed to bet against him probably wouldn't want to give odds higher than 8 to 1.

"Next to Ford and McAdoo, among the democrats, Al Smith is given the best chance at 15 to 1. Former President Wilson, former Governor Cox and Senators Underwood of Alabama, Glass of Virginia, Ralston of Indiana and Edwards of New Jersey, and former Secretary of State Colby, Wilson's law partner, are all 20 to 1 shots.

"Two of Wilson's former cabinet members, Baker and Daniels, and Senator Robinson of Arkansas are easily 30 to 1. Hitchcock is a 40 to 1 shot. And anybody can get 50 to 1 against such candidates as former Ambassador Davis, former Supreme Court Justice Clarke, Senator Reed of Missouri, former Senator Pomerene of Ohio, Mayor Hylan of New York and William Randolph Hearst.

"Hiram Johnson of California at 40 to 1 is the next best bet to Harding among the republicans with Secretaries Hoover and Hughes close behind at 12 to 1. Senator La Follette, General Wood, Secretary Mellon, Senator Lodge, Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania and Senator Watson of Indiana are all 20 to 1 shots.

"You can get 25 to 1 against young Theodore Roosevelt and former Governor Miller of New York, and 30 to 1 against Senator Borah. Senator Capper, former Governor Lowden of Illinois and former Governor Allen of Kansas, Will Hays, the old republican chairman and now running the movies, is a long shot like former Senator Beveridge of Indiana at 40 to 1. Judge Kenyon the former senator from Iowa, and Colonel Harvey, the ambassador to Great Britain, are 50 to 1 easily."

De Chadenedes says politics is the favorite field of the big better. Where millions are wagered on an election, he says less than $400,000 was bet on the last world's baseball series, and under $100,000 on the Dempsey-Gibbons fight.

"The biggest single bet I've seen go through," he said, "was in 1917 when one man bet $125,000 to $150,000 that Mayor Hylan would beat John Purroy Mitchell—and won. The biggest bet last election was $50,000 against $55,000 on Governor Smith."

Wall Street's biggest betting shock came last year when W. E. Ketchum, a wealthy Seattle man, brought half a million dollars to bet on Al Smith for governor and Royal Copeland for senator. He is reputed to have won close to $400,000.

The only bet he lost, and classed as a freakish bet, was $5000 against $100,000 that Smith would beat Miller by 400,000 votes. He made the bet when Miller was a 6 to 5 favorite. His judgment, amazing Wall Street, was almost vindicated when Smith won by 385,245 votes.

ICE IN CHURCH

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 2.—Rev. S. J. Williams of the First Baptist church hit upon a plan to make his church attractive during hot weather. Chunks of ice were distributed around the interior of the church and electric fans sent an icy breeze over the congregation.

296 VETS IN HOSPITAL

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 2.—Two hundred and ninety-six world war veterans are being cared for at the station hospital, Fort Sam Houston, according to officials of the local American Legion.

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[illegible] 5th St.

For Equality

Maude Royden, president of the Church Militant, a society of the Episcopal church, is fighting refusal of the House of Laity to drop the word "obey" from the marriage ceremony. Miss Royden, visiting in Paris, says women want the same obligations to hold for both man and woman.

She Has an Alibi

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Aug. 2. — A candidate for "Grandmother's Day" has been found.

Mrs. Henry Sellers of Muskogee county, protest the statement that there are no more girls like our grandmothers were.

Mrs. Sellers, who is 30 years old, presents her ticket with "the things she has never done" as follows: Never been to a dance or party; played cards or seen a game played, used slang; been inside a theatre nor resorted to cosmetics or been out of the state.

"I am not a frump, either," she declared. "and I can even up the flivver and do the weekly marketing. I can give my husband a helping hand in the field and get the praise of being the best cook ever."

'DOC' COOK INDICTED BY CALIFORNIA JURY

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug 2.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, self-styled discoverer of the North Pole and a defendant in a federal oil fraud suit in Texas, also faced federal prosecution today following a grand jury indictment charging him and thirty other defendants with using the mail in a scheme to defraud.

$63.50 PREMIUM FOR CLEBURNE FIRST BALE

CLEBURNE, Texas, Aug. 2.—Cleburne's first bale of cotton, the earliest ever received here, came in yesterday from P. W. Albright's farm near Alvarado. It brought 26 cents a pound and a premium of $63.50.

BETTING ODDS IN WALL STREET ON NEXT PRESIDENT OF U. S.

DEMOCRATS		REPUBLICANS	
Henry Ford	8-1	Warren G. Harding	5-1
William G. McAdoo	8-1	Hiram Johnson	10-1
Alfred E. Smith	15-1	Herbert Hoover	12-1
Woodrow Wilson	20-1	Charles E. Hughes	12-1
James M. Cox	20-1	Leonard Wood	20-1
Oscar W. Underwood	20-1	Robert M. La Follette	20-1
Carter Glass	20-1	Andrew W. Mellon	20-1
Samuel M. Ralston	20-1	Gifford Pinchot	20-1
Bainbridge Colby	20-1	James E. Watson	20-1
Edward I. Edwards	20-1	Henry Cabot Lodge	20-1
Newton D. Baker	30-1	Theodore Roosevelt	25-1
Josephus Daniels	30-1	Nathan L. Miller	25-1
Joe T. Robinson	30-1	William E. Borah	30-1
William J. Bryan	40-1	Frank O. Lowden	30-1
John W. Davis	50-1	Arthur Capper	30-1
John H. Clarke	50-1	Henry J. Allen	30-1
Atlee Pomerene	50-1	Albert J. Beveridge	40-1
William R. Hearst	50-1	Will Hays	40-1
John F. Hylan	50-1	William S. Kenyon	50-1
James A. Reed	50-1	George Harvey	50-1

Asia and America Joined Long Ago, Old Bones Tell

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—In a report just received from Peking, Roy Chapman Andrews, leader of the third Asiatic expedition of the American museum of natural history, New York, declares the existence of a land connection between Asia and North America has unquestionably been established and scores of years of work will be required to exhaust the huge deposits in "one of the world's greatest fossil fields."

Mr. Andrews' letter says:

"The first month of the expedition's work is far beyond our hopes. Where we expected only fragments we have discovered an immense deposit of large and small dinosaur bones. It will require many months to exhaust this region, but we have removed two partially complete skeletons and parts of several others. This includes herbivorous dinosaurs 30 feet long of the iguandon type and smaller carnivorous species. These bones are at least 5,000,000 years old but beautifully preserved.

"They probably are related to European types and will our former work indicate that central Asia is the ancestral home of the dinosaurs which migrated to Europe and America.

"We have discovered a skull of a giant rhinoceros—like the beast known as the titanothere—which, although it has been buried for 3,000,000 years, is almost as perfect as though the animal had died a week ago. The titanotheres were previously only known in America.

"We have found also remains of a giant dog-like carnivore, as well as many teeth and jaws of an ancestral tapir-like animal. We could easily spend a year's work in this great deposit, but will give them only enough time to get a few of the choicest things.

"The expedition's belief that Mongolia is one of the world's greatest fossil fields is thoroughly confirmed. It will require 100 years of work by many expeditions to exhaust these huge deposits.

"Our original theory of a central Asian center of dispersal of the mammalian life of Europe and America is receiving more proof every day. The existence of land connection between Asia and North America has unquestionably been established."

STRANGER TOOK HIM IN

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 2.—A. J. Waggoner of Bryan, Texas, will never give strangers a lift in the future. Recently while driving to Dallas he passed an apparently foot-weary traveler and offered a ride. The stranger accepted.

Upon arrival here Waggoner asked the stranger to watch his car while he went to the bank. When he returned he found the stranger missing as well as a handbag containing $60 and a good supply of clothes.

War on Slot Machines

DALAS, TLexas Aug. 2—Slot machines and punch boards are to be the objectives of a vigorous campaign here, according to an announcement by District Attorney Cox. Such devices will be demolished by officers whenever found, Cox said, and charges filed against the owners.

AIRMEN KILLED

Two at Birmingham Die in Tail Spin

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 2.—Lieutenant Tyler J. Rascoe and Sergeant Cleo Cook were killed yesterday when their airplane went into a tail spin at a local flying field and crashed. The engine stalled when the plane was 400 feet in the air, according to Captain Chas. G. Blackard of Nashville, in command of a detail of three planes proceeding from Nashville to Montgomery.

Too Many Camera Men So Morgan Won't Talk

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A crowd of movie and press photographers so aggravated J. P. Morgan of J. P. Morgan & Co., as he went aboard the White Star liner Homeric that he refused to comment on things financial or otherwise.

The photographers almost blocked his pathway. Later he came out of his suite to talk to reporters. "I was going to give out an interview," he said, "but these photographers annoyed me so much I won't have anything to say." He stuck to his word. Asked if he was going to confer on the reparations question while in Europe Mr. Morgan answered:

"I may and I may not. If I do, I'm not going to say anything about it."

"What do you think of the financial condition of the United States at present?"

"I have nothing to say."

Another financier who sailed on the Homeric was George F. Baker, Jr., vice president of the National Bank of New York. Asked for a comment on financial situations he took a leaf from Mr. Morgan's book and replied:

"I have nothing to say."

COATLESS TRAFFIC COPS

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 2.—Traffic officers can direct vehicles now with far better grace and a lot more comfort. Orders have been issued for patrolmen to leave off their coats for the summer while on duty.

The new uniform for traffic officers consists of a dark gray shirt and black four-in-hand tie. Of course, the regulation trousers are to be worn as is the helmet.

RICH AND POOR WIRE HARDING

Royalty and Humple Hope For His Recovery

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2. Countless telegrams of sympathy and expressing hope for Mr. Harding's quick recovery have been received by the president and Mrs. Harding.

They came from royalty, from people of wealth and prominence, and from people of far more humble position.

None of the messages will be given out for publication nor will even the names of the senders be revealed, it was declared today, because of the wishes of Mrs. Harding.

She has taken the position that publication of those from royalty and from people widely known would be unjust to those more humble who have expressed their good wishes and hence she will not permit any to be published. All are appreciated equally she feels, and must be so treated.

Gloria Caruso Holds Interest at Deauville

DEAUVILLE, France, Aug. 2.—Nineteen mysterious looking little leather covered baskets accompanied the "Duchess D'Armstrong" on her arrival here from Aix-les Bains.

Americans who have stayed up late the night before rubbed their eyes when they saw the strange-looking luggage and wondering if their nerves had gone back on them. Their mental state received no additional encouragement when it was perceived that sounds of sniffles came from the baskets. Close on the heels of the 19 baskets came 12 cloth covered receptacles, from which came twitterings.

Finally the news was bruited abroad that the duchess was traveling in state with her tame menagerie. Each basket contained a King Charles spaniel and each cage birds.

However, Deauville's most popular visitor is neither a duchess nor a person with a title of any sort. It is little Gloria Caruso, daughter of the great Enrico. Ensconced at the Royal hotel, she holds a court all her own. Gloria is as brown as a berry from many hours spent daily on the beach.

They Celebrated Their Seventy-Fifth Birthday

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 2.—The village of Cambridge is making plans for the celebration of its seventy-fifth anniversary Aug. 9. Emerson Ela, legal counsel for the Northern Wisconsin Co-operative Tobacco pool, will be one of the principal speakers of the day, according to tentative plans.

TWO RANGERS SENT TO EAGLE PASS BY NEFF

AUSTIN, Aug. 2.—Two state rangers have been sent to Eagle Pass to protect a prisoner who will be brought across the Mexican border, it was learned at the adjutant general's office today. No detailed information regarding the prisoner was available here.

PASTOR CHARGED WITH SLAYING OWN WIFE

HIAWATHA, Kans., Aug. 2.—Rev. T. P. Stewart, United Brethren minister, was held on a charge of murder today following the death of his wife after a family quarrel. The minister admitted hitting his wife over the head with a plank, but claimed she had attacked him with a razor.

SACAJAWEA

Sophie Braslau, contralto, is playing the role of Sacajawea, Indian heroine in "Americanus," a pageant being held at Seattle, Wash. She will sing the president's favorite, "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," when the Harding party attends the pageant.

MANITOBA WILL LURE THIRSTY AMERICANS

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 2.—After Sept. 18, the lure of de luxe trains will be combined with the lure of no prohibition to attract Americans and their dollars to Manitoba.

On that day, the new government liquor control bill will supersede the bone dry regime here and the Soo line and the Canadian Pacific will put on their de luxe cars, for it is only a night's ride from Duluth and Lake Superior resorts to Winnipeg and only a little longer from Minneapolis and St. Paul.

The new law sets up a commission of three men to regulate the sale of liquor. Any person with a permit—and a permit can be obtained without any red tape for $2—can order liquor sent to his home or hotel.

The permit, however, will be revoked on complaints of intoxication in the streets or of consequent brawls.

ONE KILLED, ANOTHER WOUNDED IN FIGHT

LAREDO, Texas, Aug. 2.—As the result of a quarrel that was started Sunday morning with a woman in Nuevo Laredo and renewed in the afternoon, Serapio Gonzales, a border "bad man," was killed and his brother, Tamon Gonzales, was seriously wounded. The woman and her two sons are held prisoners in the Nuevo Laredo jail, but refuse to make any statement as to the cause of the killing. Both Gonzales brothers were shot with a revolver.

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SEVEN SCOURGES DESTROY CROPS

Southwestern Farmers Contemplate Afflictions

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 2.—Southwestern farmers contemplated their seven afflictions today in much the same manner that Job looked over his boils.

Seven new scourges were reported destroying crops not already washed away by flood early in the year, or valueless because of low prices. They are:

1—Hot winds shriveled corn and dried pastures.

2—A blazing sun raised the mercury to new highs for the year.

3—Drought.

4—Grasshoppers ate fruit off trees.

5—Jack rabbits devoured melon crops.

6—Cutworms attacked the roots of alfalfa.

7—Weeds, due to early rains made phenomenal growth crowding out planted crops.

2,704 TEACHERS ENROLL

DENTON, Texas, Aug. 2.—Enrollment of the North Texas State teachers college has been brought to 2,704 by the new students who have signed for the second six weeks term of the summer session.

This sets a record for attendance for summer enrollment. The largest enrollment heretofore being below 2,700.

In addition to the 2,704 students there are 200 children and about 118 members of the faculty included in the enrollment.

HE GOT HIS, BOYS, AND ATE OFF MANTEL, TOO

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 2 — Luz Alcalez, 11, had to eat off the sideboard for several days because he carried gun powder in his trousers pocket. Luz lit a match. There wasn't much left of the trousers after the explosion.

100 DESCENDANTS AT AGED WOMAN'S PARTY

CORSICANA, Texas, Aug. 2—One hundred descendants of Mrs. S. E. Huggins, 88, for many years a resident of this county, attended the annual picnic given by the aged woman here recently.

DR. E. D. AMES
DENTIST
Over Fullers' Cafe

Bandits Shoot Auto Driver in Mouth, Ricochets, Hits Gi

DALLAS, Aug. 2.—In an attem ed holdup by three men, C. T. A bury, 22, was shot and painful wounded in the mouth and his you woman companion struck in the he by the same bullet on the outskir of the city last night. The you woman was not injured as the b let had spent its force.

Asbury told police the three m drove up in an automobile and tri to halt his car. Instead he speed up and one of the men shot at him

DALLAS WOMAN KILLE IN AUTO-TROLLEY CRAS

HUTCHINS, Texas, Aug. 2.—M Edward E. Winn, wife of Edward Winn of the Winn Furniture co pany of Dallas, was instantly kil when the automobile in which was riding was struck by an inter han car near here. The accident c curred on a grade crossing.

The negro chauffeur was ba hurt. His wife, who was riding w him was uninjured. Mrs. Winn b expected to entertain at her coun home tonight and was on her way get some flowers to be used for dec ations.

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PRESIDENT HARDING DIES

DEATH COMES AT 7:30

Vice President Coolidge Has Been Notified of The President's Death and Will Take the Oath of Office Friday, It Was Announced

BULLETIN

PALACE HOTEL, SAN FRANCISCO, August 2.—President Harding died suddenly at 7:30 p. m. The following official statement was issued:

"The president died instantaneously and without warning and while conversing with members of his family at 7:30 p. m. Death was apparently due to some brain evolvement, probably apoplexy. During the day he had been free from discomfort and there was every justification for anticipating a prompt recovery.

(Signed):

"C. E. Sawyer, M. D.
"Ray Lyman Wilbur, M. D.
"C. M. Cooper, M. D.
"J. T. Boone, M. D.
"Hubert Work, M. D."

The president died at 7:30 p. m. from a stroke of apoplexy. Mrs. Harding and the two nurses, Miss Ruth Powderly and Miss Sue Dausser, were in the room at the time. Mrs. Harding was reading to the president, when utterly without warning a slight shudder passed through his frame, he collapsed and all recognized that the end had come.

With a few moments all of the president's official party had been summoned.

Sawyer called in Dr. J. T. Boone for a consultation.

Burial probably will be made in Marion Ohio, but the remains will be taken to Washington where they will lie in the retunda of the capitol, according to tentative plans. The funeral plans depend entirely upon Mrs. Harding's wishes. She was prostrated, having borne up under the strain of her husband's illness. She fainted, it was reported from the death chamber, when it became certain that Mr. Harding was dead

The illness attacked the president while he was aboard the transport Henderson, en route to Van Couver, B. C., on July 25.

It was diagnosed by Dr. C. E. Sawyer as ptomaine poisoning, resulting from eating crab meat which was put aboard the Henderson at Cordova, Alaska.

Nearly every member of the party suffered from the same malady apparently.

Dr. Sawyer had seen newspapermen a short time before the president died and had then confirmed his earlier statements that Mr. Harding had had the best day since his illness began.

Warren Gamaliel Harding

Ragtime Rats Dance Joyfully Into Traps As New York Pied Piper Whistles Jazz Tune

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—New York possesses a modern Pied Piper of Hamlin. He is John Rogoff, a Latvian, who can compel rats to follow him by his whistling.

John's neighbors on the East Side would not believe him, so he arranged a demonstration. In a dark-end room John tuned up. After a few bars of some wild Latvian melody, bright eyes were seen peeping from holes in the woodwork. A few more warbles and there was a scurry of feet.

Spectators said that the rats seemed to sneer with jazzy steps as they darted forth to the tune of the melody. John had made good.

He said he learned rat whistling in Latvia.

Martial Law Threat For Oklahoma County

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. Aug. 2—A threat of martial law loomed over Kingfisher county today as Governor Walton awaited a report upon an alleged flogging at Kingfisher Saturday night.

In a message to Kingfisher county officers, the governor demanded an immediate report upon the affair and what efforts were being taken to clear up the case.

HOUSTON MAY GET NATURAL GAS LINE

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 1.—The feasibility of supplying enough natural gas to the city of Houston for domestic purposes from the gas field in Walker county is being investigated by state railroad commissioners and J. A. O. Rison, chief engineer of the oil and gas division.

It is estimated the cost of laying a pipe line from the Walker county fields to Houston will represent an outlay of a half million dollars.

CITY COMMISSION HOLDS NO SESSION

Due to the absence of Commissioner Wiley and Mayor Logan this morning, there was no commission meeting.

Commissioner B. J. Wade, the only member of the council in the city during the morning hours, declared that probably all matters planned to be brought up today before the body at its next regular meeting, while is set for tomorrow, morning at 11 o'clock.

TWO PLEAD GUILTY TO CHARGE OF AFFRAY

Jas Khoury and W. M. Clay were assessed $5 and costs each in corporation court Thursday on charges of alleged affray. Both entered pleas of guilty.

PARROT STOPS WORK OF CABLE LINEMEN

PITTSBURG, Aug. 1.—A Glenshaw Heights parrot now spends the daylight hours in the cellar of its home while linemen are at work placing cables on poles along the Butler pike. And all because Polly listened to the drivers saying "Get-up" and "Whoa" to the horses pulling the cables until finally it would say "Whoa" as soon as it heard a driver say "Get-up."

As a result the horses would stop and work was impossible. With Polly down in the cellar the work was resumed without difficulty.

BILL OKEYS MARRIAGE OF DIVORCED PERSONS

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—All persons divorced in Illinois within the last year are free now to re-wed under a bill repealing a statute prohibiting marriage within a year after divorce.

It is estimated that 8000 divorces came under the new law and 16,000 persons heretofore restricted may wed when and whom they please.

MAN'S JAW BROKEN BY KICK OF HORSE

RANGER, Texas, Aug. 2.—W. E. Wood, 36 years old, teamster, is in a critical condition in a hospital here as the result of being kicked by a horse. His lower jawbone was broken in three places and he is otherwise injured. His wife found him unconscious on the stable floor. During a conscious moment he said a horse had kicked him.

SHERMAN ICE HANDLER IS SEVERELY INJURED

SHERMAN, Texas, Aug. 4.—O. D. Teague, employed as platform salesman and vault man at the Sherman ice company, was severely cut upon the wrist and elbow of his right arm while operating an ice scoring machine. The cut upon the wrist went into the bones rather deeply and is regarded as a serious injury, although it is expected that his hand will be saved.

72ND BRIGADE OPENS QUARTERS AT MABRY

AUSTIN, August 2.—Headquarters of the 144th regiment, 72nd infantry brigade, Texas National Guard, have been opened at Camp Mabry by Colonel H. Taylor of Fort Worth, regimental commander, in preparation for the 72nd brigade encampment, which will start Saturday.

Major M. Blalock of Marshall, has just been appointed executive officer for the 72nd brigade.

BASEBALL HAS HAD A CHANGE

Celebrities Differ, However, On What They Are

Is baseball as played today as skillful and fast as it was 20 years ago?

Comparisons between past and present in any branch of sport always make for heated argument.

Baseball is noexception. As a general thing players of the present day resent the opinion that the game is slowing up, that it lacks many of the thrills of other days.

Here are the opinions of some of the leading stars of the present and past. Even the stars of the present day seem to think that the game has slipped back a bit in many respects.

"Baseball is more popular today than ever," says Connie Mack, "the attendance figures prove it. There is a decided difference in the style of baseball of today and that of 20 or more years ago. The fans of today are getting the slam-bang variety, which is featured by home runs. By the way they pack the ball parks they seem to like it. I don't think that baseball has gone back as much as it has suffered a change of style. Slam-bang baseball doesn't call for much inside stuff. In that respect the national pastime has deteriorated."

"Baseball seems to have slipped in every department in the last 20 years with the possible exception of hitting," says Frank Chance. "Batting has been on the increase for several years. I do not believe the increase has been due so much to a better grade of bat-men as to the lively ball. In pitching and base-running there has been a decided falling off."

Now for the opinon of some of the active participants.

"Baseball has suffered an entire change during the 15 years I have been connected with the major leagues," says Eddie Collins. "The slugging game does not call for as much concentration and therefore less of the unexpected. Today every batter is up there taking a healthy swing. The batter who waits them out is the exception. Base running on the whole is pretty much a lost art. Playing for one run no longer meets with favor. I wouldn't care to say definitely that the standard of play has retrograded, but I do know that it has suffered a complete change."

"Baseball of today does not call for intensive baseball," says Ty Cobb. "Today it is more a question of brawn than brain. One run means so little nowadays that it is foolish to take long chances to turn the trick. Clubs are so accustomed to getting runs in clusters that one run means little in their life. In the old days, many a ball game was decided by a one-run margin, with low scores predominating. Brainy baseball has suffered because of the lively ball and all-absorbing desire to make home runs."

"The style of baseball has changed entirely during my time in the majors," says Rogers Hornsby. "A desire to slug the ball has unquestionably robbed the game of many of its finer points. However, the public likes it and that is all that is necessary."

HEARING ON WELLS OUSTER UP AUGUST 4

"I have nothing to say at this time; at the proper time I will make my statements."

This was the assertion of Constable Tom Wells here this morning, when approached by newspaper men and asked for a statement regarding the ouster proceedings istituted against him at Beaumont Monday.

The petition requesting that the constable be removed from office alleged misconduct of office, and declared, according to its contents, that following an automobile smash-up here June 24, that "Constable Wells called the youthful occupant of the other car into his own car and beat him when he resisted arrest."

Hearing in the case is set for August 4, it is understood.

SPUDS OWNER GETS SWAT IN THE NECK

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 6.—W. Landon, fined $6 for stealing three sacks of potatoes protested to the court he had no money. The court ordered bailiffs to sell the potatoes and collect proceeds to pay the fine. J. A. Green, farmer who lost the potatoes and brought the prosecution, is still wondering what he gets.

DISCARD LIFE WORK FOR JOBS

College Graduates Try Out New Plan

By ALEXANDER HERMAN
Writer for NEA Service.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Can a lawyer make a good undertaker? An engineer a dashing movie actor? A dentist a railroad hand?

Or is a man good only for the particular job for which he has been specially trained?

A dozen college graduates, successful in their professions, are casting aside the jobs they trained themselves to fill just to find out. For one year they will work in fields quite foreign to their callings to try out this experiment, which began as a joke in a Los Angeles club several months ago.

Movie Actor.

One of the men, Le Roy Ellsworth Grooms, a mining chemist, who recently had charge of a large cyanide plant in Nevada, has already plunged into his new work.

The mining chemist is now a movie actor! And the others are looking for jobs.

"We were discussing Edison's theory that a college man is good only for the work he has been taught," says Grooms, "when one of us said it was all wrong. He thought he could do any job. We laughed.

"But a few months later a similar discussion arose in a New York club. The men were serious. A dozen of us, including three lawyers, two brokers, three engineers, an author, a dentist, a chemist and a capitalist, decided to change their callings, just for fun.

"So we took 12 slips of paper, wrote down a dozen different kinds of jobs—steel roller, farmer, lumberjack, automobile mechanic, actor, rancher, building contractor, electrical engineer, undertaker, movie star, clerk and sailor—and pulled them from a hat.

"I drew the job of motion picture actor. I had never acted in my life but a bargain was a bargain, and I ha dto see it through. So I went to it at once.

Gets His Chance.

"It wasn't easy getting a job. I was shifted around from one agency to another, from one studio to the next. After four weeks I got a chance to act a small part in a studio on Long Island.

"I was told to go home and get my evening clothes. Some difference between working in them and in the khaki I wore on my old mining job!

"But I took to it strong. It isn't every day that one can get paid for dancing with charming screen stars."

Grooms gets $10 a day, when he works in the movies; he used to get $1300 a month on the mining job.

"But the fun of the new work," he says, "makes up for the difference. Besides, I'm getting ahead on the job, and already have the start on the other fellows who will begin looking for their new work in the fall."

PRISONER, HYPNOTIZED, WINS COURT'S MERCY

MANNHEIM, Aug. 3 — While American criminologists are administering scopolamin to make prisoners truthful and using blood pressure charts to detect emotionall lars, the court of appeals here has put the stampof approval on hypnotism as a guarantee of veracity.

A young insurance man, charged with breaking into a factory, was acquitted Wednesday on the strength of his own testimony, while seated on the witness stand in a state of hypnotism. The prisoner was ordered hypnotized when he pleaded that he was in a similar state when he broke into the factory.

When questioned he persisted in referring to the factory building as a castle, which he as a proletarian hero invaded to complete the revolution, convincing the court he was innocent of burglary.

SLAYER OF CHICKEN ACQUITTED OF CRIME

CHICAGO, Aug 3.—William Watts Wednesday was freedof a charge of having slain a chicken in 1918 in the suburb of Oak Park.

"How doesone go about killing a chicken legally," Superior Judge David inquired when informed that Watts had appealed from the decision of a justice of the peace who had fined him $3 for "beating and torturing" a chicken, which he seized on his domain and threw over the fence.

The defense argued that the chicken fell and broke its neck. When the state admitted its inability to prove the corpus delicti, the judge dismissed the case.

The Next President

CALVIN COOLIDGE

Vice-President Coolidge will take the oath of office Friday, it was announced tonight.

Yes, He Had No Melons; Guess What

An entire evening at McFadden's beach yesterday was spoiled for a Beaumont young man, and it was all caused by his extravagant and reckless expenditure of 40 cents.

Leaving the Nawth End in a big touring car, accompanied by two beautiful young ladies and a young man, the youth was speeding along the South Beaumont road when he was forced to slow down by a farm wagon loaded with what appeared to be the most delicious looking cantaloupes ever carried to market. The young man drove up alongside the wagon and asked the farmer:

"How much you want for those?"

"Twenty cents apiece," replied the farmer.

"Gimme two of 'em," said the young man in as business-like tone as he could command

The "two of 'em" were placed in the back end of the car in a hamper of ice which contained cats and water, and the journey to McFadden's beach was resumed. Arriving at the gulf the young people had a delightful swim and enjoyed themselves very much until time came for lunch. The young man who purchased the "cantaloupes" from the farmer borrowed some salt and pepper from one of the stands near by, grabbed up one of the "melons," and ran to the shore where he intended to prepare the delicious product for eating. Cutting the "melon" open he stared for a moment in amazement—he had never before seen a cantaloupe that looked like that. He picked up one of the halves and held it to his nostrils in order to make a sure test. It was evidently not the perfume the young man expected, because he sadly turned his nose out toward the gulf, took a deep inhalation of the cool refreshing salt breeze, and then turned for one more "smell" of the thing he held in his hand. There was no mistaking the odor this time—he had attended too many Halloween parties. He had purchased two perfectly good pumpkins from the farmer. He threw the two sections into the gulf, walked back to the car, took the other pumpkin, threw it into the gulf, and told his friends: "That farmer sold me two rotten cantaloupes; let's go home."

EVEN DUMBBELLS CAN NOW SHINE IN DARK

FORT WORTH, Aug 3 — Fort Worth was introduced to the radium nail polish for maids Monday afternoon when Miss Eloise Ruth Millett, latest New York Cry, made her appearance at the ball game at Panther park.

Long has milady fascinated man with the coloring of her hair and the proper dressing for her eye lashes, but now she has another weapon with which to lure the sheik into her power. The new nail polish, of course, is not really radium but it is a solution which gives such a brilliant polish to the nail that it casts a bright glow even in the dark.

In the daytime the highly polished nail reflects the sunlight and at night time—well, ye sheiks of Texas should heed this warning and not fall into love's snare via long, slim and well groomed finger of thefairer sex.

CHICKEN AND CELERY

When preparing your fowl for a chicken salad, cut the meat with a knife instead of chopping it with a chopping knife. Do the same with celery.

GIRLS DECIDE FATHERS' FATE

One Pleads for Death in Note to Judge

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Enigmatic woman again offers science the riddle of the age.

With tragic contrast, one stayed the hand of death, the other let it fall.

As a result, two fathers today are payin gthe price the law exacts for the drunken, heartless murders of their wives.

Their penalties in each case were determined by pleas of their own daughters who had witnessed the slayings. The parallel case would offer a fine chance for philosophers to generalize on the influence of sentiment upon cold justice, except for one thing.

One Spared, Other Dies

Which is, the exact antithesis in the attitude of the two daughters.

Ignatz Fuchs is just getting adjusted to the penitentiary where he is sentenced to spend the remainder of his life. The shadow of the gallows was dark across his path when his daughter, Cecilia, 16, appealed to a Chicago judge to spare him.

And William Donovan, in an Indiana grave, has been paying his penalty for a year, following his execution. Friends at work to obtain clemency from Governor McCray were blocked when his daughter, Mabel, 17, wrote a letter insisting upon strict justice.

"The penalty for murder is death or imprisonment in the penitentiary for life or for not less than 14 years," explained Judge George Kersten here after Prosecutor Louis P. O'Connell had presented the case against Fuchs.

State Waives Right

"Not death," begged Cecilia. "He's all we have. He's not a bad man at heart. It was just that moonshine."

She clung to her father, and gestured appealingly toward the little brothers whom she has been mothering, John 12, and Anton, 11. She refused to testify unless the state waived the death penalty. And she won.

"Can't you let him go home to us again," Cecilia asked. "He'll be all right now."

"No, Cecilia, you have saved his life, but he will have to spend the rest of his days in prison," answered the court.

Fights Commutation

Then Judge Kersten adjourned to his chambers a moment, reaching for his handkerchief. He is the dean of criminal court judges in Chicago, and sentencing murderers is commonplace. But this case was different.

Not so with the Spartan daughter, Mabel Donovan.

"I do not want the sentence changed," Mael wrote to Governor McCray. "My father has always been an overbearing man and had lots of trouble. But he cared for no one but himself, not even us children and if he could ever get out, he would not be no good to kill us."

Here the curtain darks down. Let those make the most of it who would contradict the justice of a woman's heart.

EDITOR'S THUNDERBOLT PROVES A BOOMERANG

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The News-Index of Evanston for several days has advocated a cleanup of streets and alleys going so far, in fact, as to print front page boxes headed "Beautiful Evanston the dirtiest city in The world."

Hal W. Smith, commissioner of streets and alleys responded to the campaign Thursday by starting the cleanup. He swore out warrants for the citizens, stating he had 40 more in mind.

And the first warrant served was upon A. H. Bowman, editor of The News-Index. It charged him with having an inadequate garbage can in the rear of his home, and none at all in the rear of the newspaper office.

OILCLOTH TRIMMING

A wash dress from Paris is trimmed with motifs of light weight oilcloth, which besides being decorative gave the advantage of washing well.

JEWELED GIRDLES

The jeweled girdle is featured on gowns, cloaks and negligee of the elaborate type. Jeweled embroidery is a fad that is rapidly being taken up.

STRIPED BELTS

The separate belt of striped silk, colorful and dashing, is worn with sport skirts most effectively.

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